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HOUSE BUNGLES A PRIMARY BILL

OPPOSING FACTIONS PREVENT
PASSAGE OF A CONSTITU-
TIONAL BILL.

CONFERENCE THE ONLY WAY

Committees of Both Houses Must
Get Together and Fix
Up a Bill.

Primary matters in the legislature are slowly being brought to a head. The senate went on record when it passed the Gibsonized bill and the house went on record yesterday when it advanced the Hamilton-Hope-Stay-mates bill to third reading. The Hamilton bill is the fragment of the administration bill. The probabilities are that this bill will pass the house today or next Tuesday.

The Hamilton bill as amended yesterday, stands:

1. The power of absolutely fixing the number of nominations to be made for the house of representatives in the legislature is delegated wholly to the senatorial committee as between the candidates.

2. The "rotary" method of placing the names of candidates upon the primary ballot, as agreed to by the Hamilton committee, is eliminated, and the original provisions of the Oglesby law re-inserted, namely, that the names must go on the ballot in the order in which the petitions are filed.

3. All reference to an advisory vote upon United States senators is cut out of the bill, and no suggestion of any kind is to be made regarding a senatorship.

4. Provision is inserted that all officers of all political committees from county to state, must be men who have been elected precinct committeemen at the primary.

5. The date for the 1910 primary is set forward from August 9 to Saturday, Sept. 10.

The indications are now that primary legislation will be handled by conference committees. It seems as if each branch of the legislature is unable to come together on primary legislation without the usual conference committee.

I. C. WRECK COST COMPANY \$15,000

QUICK WORK MADE CLEARING
UP WRECKAGE AT YEL-
LOW CREEK.

The recent wreck at Yellow Creek on the I. C. cost that company \$15,000, according to a statement made by Supt. Dailey. As announced yesterday, trains began running over the new bridge yesterday at noon. The railroad company performed a great feat which will be remembered for some time to come, for within the space of 36 hours the wreckage of the thirteen cars, amounting to many tons, was removed, as well as hundreds of tons of coal and a new bridge was constructed spanning 100 feet, which necessitated the driving of several piles. There is at present about 500 tons of coal at the bottom of the creek.

FLOOD CONDITIONS IMPROVING IN FRANCE

WATER BEGAN TO SUBSIDE AT
NOON TODAY AND HOPE
RETURNS.

Paris, Jan. 27.—Special.—The Seine began to subside shortly before noon and in a short time a drop of six inches was recorded. With the receding of the water hope has returned to the hearts of the terrorized citizens.

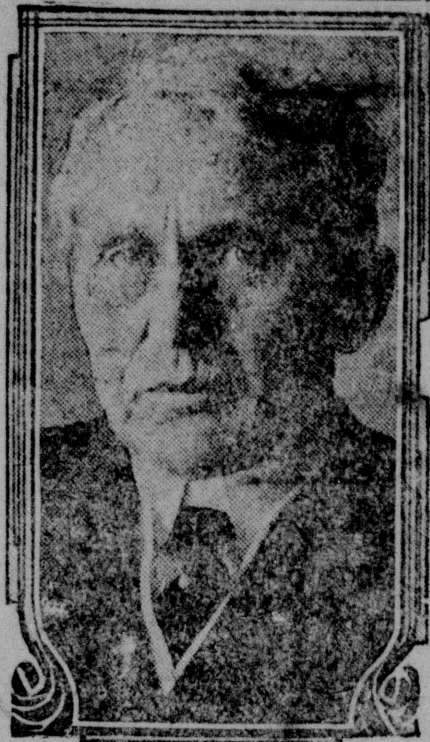
(A detailed story of the devastating floods in France will be found in the dispatches on Page 2 of this paper.—Ed.)

GIRTON FARM SOLD.

Geo. B. Stitzel sold to E. K. McMeen the Ella Girton farm of 200 acres at \$92 per acre. This farm is located 7 1-2 miles northeast of this city.

FRANK B. KELLOGG

Trust Buster in Conference on
the Dissolution of U. P. Merger.



TEACHERS WILL MEET IN PAWPAW

A FINE INSTITUTE PROGRAM IS
PREPARED FOR SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 12.

County Superintendent I. F. Edwards has arranged to hold a teachers' institute at Pawpaw high school on Saturday, Feb. 12th, and hopes to test the capacity of the building by the attendance of interested teachers of the county. The program is one which should attract every teacher and will be as follows:

9:00 a. m. Music.
9:15 a. m. Four Day Program — Prof. L. A. Mahoney.
10:00 a. m. Characteristics of True Teachers—Prof. A. A. Franzke.
10:45 a. m. A Lesson in Geography.—Dr. C. A. McMurry.
1:30 p. m. The Public and the Pedagogue—Prof. Ira C. Titton.
2:15 p. m. The School Spirit—Prof. L. A. Mahoney.
3:00 p. m. How to Get Children to Think Clearly—Dr. C. A. McMurry.
4:15 p. m. Dismissal.

CHARLES KRUG PURCHASES THE OWL RESTAURANT

MAY POSSIBLY OPERATE BOTH
THIS AND EUROPEAN
RESTAURANT

Charles Krug has purchased the Owl restaurant of Mrs. Clara Heath-erington. The deal was consummated yesterday. At present the restaurant is closed while the building is undergoing repairs. In an interview with Mr. Krug he stated that he contemplates opening the Owl restaurant in about ten days and that he expected to move from his present location in the Dimick building on Hennepin avenue at that time. He said that such a thing might be possible that both restaurants would be operated. He has been operating the European restaurant in its present location for three years.

LICENSED TO WED

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday by County Clerk Thompson:

Wm. O'Hare, Marion twp. 24
Elizabeth Bower, Brooklyn town-
ship 21

HOME FROM SCHOOL

Clarence Soper and Arthur Floto returned last evening from Chicago to spend several days with their parents. The young men are attending the Chicago College of Dental Surgery.

Miss Anna Gelsenheimer is in Chicago on business today.

States Attorney Harry Edwards is in Chicago today.

Harry Quick was in Sterling last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Higley and daughter have returned from Gary, Ind., to reside in Dixon.

Mrs. Clyde Sproul has returned from a three weeks visit with relatives in Nebraska.

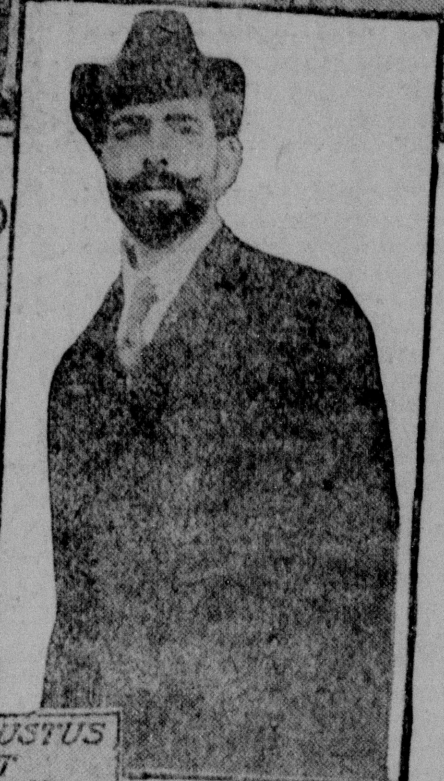
AMATEUR AERONAUTS TO FORM A FLIERS' FEDERATION.



A. HOLLAND FORBES
WITH WRIGHT BROTHERS
AND MISS
WRIGHT



CORTLAND
FIELD
BISHOP



AUGUSTUS
POST

Federation of the aeronautical societies and clubs of America is the object of the conference called to meet in St. Louis. The conferees are men interested in aviation in its scientific and sporting aspects, not in the commercial development of flying. They have been interested in the promotion of the recent successful aviation meet at Los Angeles, the first held in America. Among them are Cortland Field Bishop, president of the Aero Club of America; A. Holland Forbes, first vice president of the club, and Augustus Post, its secretary. Rules to govern meets, laws for licensing air pilots and the establishment of a distinguishing line between professional and amateur aeronauts are among the matters of importance to come before the conference. Forbes is marked with an X in the picture.

HARMON YOUNG PEOPLE MAY ATTEND SERVICE

IN THE WEST SIDE CONGREGA-
TIONAL CHURCH THIS
EVENING.

All who went to the revival services at the Congregational church last night heard a very earnest appeal from the pastor, Rev. Randall, who took as his subject, "What the Blind Man Saw."

Miss Marie Madden and Mrs. Mary Whitford sang a beautiful duet, "Calling Now," which was very appropriate and appreciated by all.

If the weather does not interfere tonight Rev. Willstead and some of the young people from Harmon will be here to help in the services. The young people to sing and Rev. Willstead to speak upon the subject, "Run After That Young Man."

Tonight will be young people's night and the older ones are also expected to help in the services.

ALTON HOUSEWIVES

DEMAND CHEAPER FOOD

Alton, Ill., Jan. 27.—Special.—The housewives of the city are forming a union to fight the truck farmers and dairymen. They will demand 25 cent butter and cheaper eggs.

GOES TO OKLAHOMA.

Henry Kenneth has gone to Oklahoma City for the Grand Detour Plow company and will be absent five or six weeks.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fitts of South Dixon are the proud parents of a daughter, born this morning.

Attorney John B. Crabtree visited with friends in Sublette last evening.

Manager Lennox will ship a load of poultry to Sterling tomorrow for this company.

Horace G. Reynolds has engaged the services of an architect from Chicago, who is spending a few days in Dixon in conference with Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds relative to the remodeling of the residence they recently purchased in North Dixon.

BASEBALL BAZAR STARTS TOMORROW

PLAN TO ENTERTAIN BIG CROWD
ON THE OPENING
NIGHT.

SPECIAL PROGRAM IS PREPARED

Middlers Club Has Charge on First
Night—All Fans Will
Be There.

For the next ten days all Dixon baseball eyes will be turned toward Rosbrook hall, for the baseball bazar opens tomorrow evening and will run for eight nights. To start the ball rolling in the right direction the Middlers club will have charge of the program, and that popular club announces that they have secured some fine talent to appear on the program. As the club is one of the well known society clubs of the city not only their friends in Dixon but also from Sterling and other towns will be present the opening night to make a record breaking evening for the bazar. Evans' orchestra, one of the leading musical organizations of the city, has been engaged to furnish the music. Eli Rosenthal, who is the chairman of the program committee, announces that he has special attractions on the board for every evening, so that all who attend the bazar will be properly entertained. In order to show that you are a loyal baseball fan be there on the opening night to start the boys on the right road to the destination that we are all striving to reach success.

WHEELER'S TEAM LEADS.

Forty-eight games have been played in the Odd Fellows pinocle tournament and Wheeler's men are four games in the lead over Capt. Altemand's men.

SWEAR OFF ON MEAT.

One thousand employees of the Fairbanks-Morse company plant at Beloit have signed an agreement to abstain from eating meat for sixty days on account of the high prices prevailing.

BITTEN BY DOG.

Mrs. J. C. Hogan of West Fourth street was bitten by a vicious bull dog Tuesday afternoon, receiving a wound on the left wrist. She was standing on her porch when the dog, which is owned by a neighbor, jumped upon the porch and attacked her.

CO. SUPT. EDWARDS SPOKE AT DEKALB

ADDRESSED NORMAL STUDENTS
UPON INVITATION OF
DR. COOK.

County Superintendent I. F. Edwards attended a meeting of the trustees of the DeKalb State Normal school at DeKalb yesterday. At the close of the meeting upon the invitation of President John W. Cook, he addressed the students. Mr. Edwards took for his theme a motto which hangs in his office at the court house, "You Can't Run a School and Walk." The purpose of this theme was to impress the student body with the fact that they must prepare for their work. The most successful teacher is the thoroughly prepared teacher.

Dr. Cook never fails to have Mr. Edwards address the students whenever he visits the school or attends the board meetings. Dr. Cook considers Mr. Edwards one of the most practical school men of the state.

ROAST CHICKEN CHEAPER THAN PORK CHOPS NOW

SHORTAGE OF 750,000 HOGS IN
CHICAGO MARKET SO FAR
THIS YEAR.

Dressed chicken is 2 cents per pound cheaper than pork chops. There was a shortage of 750,000 hogs on the Chicago market during the first three weeks of the year, compared with last year and 800,000 compared with the year before. Butchers think the price of pork will go higher.

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Miss Ruth Seavey of Chicago is visiting with friends in this city. She goes to Europe in the spring.

MRS. W. J. BRYAN

Wife of Democratic Leader Is
Recipient of Honors in Peru.



FERTILITY OF SOIL MUST BE MAINTAINED

PROFESSOR FROM INDIANA COL-
LEGE OF AGRICULTURE AD-
DRESSES FARMERS.

SCIENCE ECLIPSES EXPERIENCE

If Farmer Would Get Best Results
He Must Harken to the
Scientists.

At Urbana yesterday Prof. G. I. Christie of the Indiana College of Agriculture gave a talk to about 800 farmer students, of all ages, now attending the short course in agriculture there, on the question of maintaining the fertility of the soil. He said:

Problem of the Farmer.

It is the problem of the farmer to feed humanity. All other vocations depend upon agriculture to live, as the supply of food necessary for industry to continue must come from the field of agriculture, the basis of all prosperity. The methods of agriculture must change. Ninety millions of people in this country must be fed, in addition to the millions in Europe depending upon this country for their daily bread. Besides feeding people, another problem must be solved, that of maintaining the fertility of the soils; they must be maintained or poverty will result. Better homes must be made or those who till the soil will go to the cities attracted by the added comforts of life there. Mr. Hill, the Great Northern railroad magnate, sounds the warning in these words: "The surplus of food stuffs is not equal to the demand." The United States increases yearly 2,000,000 inhabitants which means 75,000,000 additional bushels of grain must be raised.

Work of Indiana Station.

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Science vs. Experience Alone. One boy in Indiana raised eighty bushels of corn, following the instruction of the university. In the same field where his father raised 27 bushels by his methods gained by years of experience alone and no study as to why things are done.

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C. B. & Q. WINS CASE IN COURT

SUIT WAS BROUGHT BY C. D.
CRAWFORD TO RECOVER
DAMAGES.

NO COURT THIS AFTERNOON

Cement Factory Case Continued to
Feb. 4—Session Resumed
Tomorrow.

The jury in the case of C. D. Crawford, North Dixon, against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company returned late Wednesday afternoon a verdict in favor of the railroad company.

Mr. Crawford sued to recover \$171.50 damages accruing for delivery of lighting fixtures to a wrong person by the company at Kewanee in December, 1908, and March, 1909. The goods were delivered to George Parsons.

To deliver the goods to Mr. Parsons. The contention of the plaintiff was that the defendant had no authority. The defendant claimed that Parsons had authority from Mr. Crawford to receive the goods.

The case of Salai vs. Sandusky Portland Cement company was continued this morning until February 4th.

A motion for a new trial in the case of Leith vs. Fitts was overruled by the court today.

Court will convene tomorrow morning. The jurors were excused until that time.

LOCAL INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT TOPIC

FOR DISCUSSION AT MEN'S CLUB
BANQUET TOMORROW
NIGHT.

The Men's club will hold its regular monthly meeting and banquet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 6:30 tomorrow evening. The subject for discussion is one that will interest every member of the club and is of vital interest to every citizen, "Local Industrial Developments." Among those who open the discussion are several local manufacturers, bankers, business men and attorneys. With this subject on the program every member of the club should be present and listen to suggestions, facts and figures with reference to local industrial conditions and also if possible throw some light upon the subject.

There will also be several out of town captains of industry present to lead the discussion. An elaborate dinner will be served by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. at 6:30. Following this there will be a short musical program. Then the toastmaster, Dr. McWethy, will open the discussion and introduce the speakers.

PRACTICAL WORK FOR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

Arthur Gonnerman returned last evening from Rockford, where he has been doing electrical work. This work is done in connection with his duties at the university at Champaign. In a few weeks Mr. Gonnerman will go to Springfield and make a thorough inspection of the telephone system of that place.

Mrs. George Burkhart received a letter from Austro-Hungary stating that her mother is critically ill and fears are entertained for her recovery.

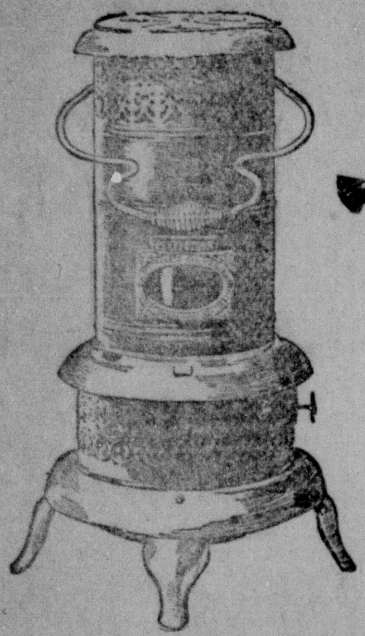
WEATHER BULLETIN. DIXON.

Latitude, 41 deg. 48 min. N.
Longitude, 89 deg. 27 min. W
795 feet above sea level

Monday 29 9
Tuesday 36 13
Wednesday 39 26

Chicago, Jan. 27 — Partly cloudy and slightly colder today; tomorrow fair; brisk northwesterly winds, diminishing.

Little Things Annoy or Please Us



Little things annoy us—the little curl of smoke that, if left alone, would soon smudge the furnishings and make work for the housewife. There are no annoying little things in the

PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

They've been banished by hard thought and tireless work. In their stead there are little things that please—that make for comfort and satisfaction. The little self-locking

Automatic Smokeless Device

that actually prevents smoke—the little lock on the inside of the tube that holds the wick in check—keeps it below the smoke zone, so accurately adjusted that it cannot go wrong—these are some of the little things that please—that have contributed to the name and fame of the Perfection Oil Heater.

The most satisfying heater you can buy—always ready—easy to manage—always dependable—quickly cleaned.

Brass font holds 4 quarts—burns 9 hours. Attractively finished in Nickel or Japan in various styles and finishes.

Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not At Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
(Incorporated)

SHURTLEFF'S BILL IS KNOCKED OUT

Document Prepared by Subcommittee Subject of Hot Debate.

IS OPPOSED BY CHIPPERFIELD

The Hamilton Bill Is Said to Be Assured of Passage at the Session of House Today—Administration Threatened.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—The house is exceedingly likely to pass a primary bill of its own today, and require the senators to return and take action thereon.

The precise form and character of the measure which the lower branch will pass was the subject of hot debate and sharp parliamentary maneuvering, when the Hamilton subcommittee bill came up on second reading and was made the target for amendments of all kinds.

Speaker Shurtleff took a seat on the floor when the house convened, ready to lead the anti-plurality forces. David E. Shanahan of Cook, was in the chair.

"This," said the speaker, "is the appeal of a part of the people who believe at least to an extent in representative form of government. It is offered here because it is absolutely constitutional."

B. M. Chipperfield of Canton, attacked the constitutionality of the Hamilton bill in its provisions for nominations for the house of representatives.

A threat for the administration was seen in the remarks of Mr. Chipperfield.

"The Republican party is so disrupted that its existence is in jeopardy," he shouted, amid applause from the minority. "In the last state campaign the Republican plurality was cut from 200,000 almost to 20,000."

"You may pay no heed to me today, but the day will come in this state if you enact this law that the court will rule that you cannot say to the voters, 'You may vote for three candidates,' and then give to a plurality of voters who may vote to nominate one candidate the power to nullify the votes of the majority who voted to nominate two or three candidates, and then we will have a fourth law invalidated."

"Another thing, you men from the country. If you ever put on the statute books a direct plurality law that will strike say good-bye to the hope of ever having a governor that comes from anywhere except Cook county."

"You never can hope to defeat the Cook county man who has the approval of his country, and the big city will control the state just as the larger cities will control each county."

The direct plurality champions won a victory in the house when the Shurtleff compromise measure offered as a substitute for the Hamilton bill was voted down after a debate of hours.

The Hamilton bill is said to be almost certain to be passed at the session today.

SPECIAL MESSAGE BY DENEEN

Says Illinois Has Reached Crisis in Waterway Development.

Springfield, Jan. 27.—Governor Deneen, in a special message to the legislature points out some additional facts concerning waterway legislation now pending before the legislature.

He says Illinois has reached a crisis in the development of her waterways and it is up to the legislature to determine whether or not the state shall avail itself of its wealth in water power.

A nine-foot channel instead of a fourteen-foot channel between Joliet and Utica, and the possible ultimate expenditure of \$100,000,000 in the development of the entire 106-mile Des Plaines-Illinois channel is suggested by the governor.

The governor reiterated his views that delay and opposition could serve only the "individuals and corporations who hope to avail themselves of the vast water power which has been created by diverting the waters of Lake Michigan."

WALSH ROAD SOLD FOR TAXES

John Marsh of Chicago Takes Wisconsin and Michigan at Menominee.

Marquette, Wis., Jan. 27.—The Wisconsin and Michigan road, known as one of the John R. Walsh properties, was sold at the court house in Menominee, Mich. for taxes by the auditor-general of Michigan.

The purchaser was John Marsh of Chicago, a railroad contractor, who paid \$67,900.08, the amount of the taxes, with interest, to date.

BANKERS OF ILLINOIS MEET

Numerous Matters of Interest Are Discussed in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—More than seventy bankers from various parts of the state assembled at the mid-winter meeting of the Illinois Bankers' association.

Questions of national prominence at this time were the topics for consideration. Besides these there were numerous matters of state interest.

BRYANS RECEIVE RICH GIFTS

Medals and Jewels Presented by Municipality of Lima, Peru.

Lima, Peru, Jan. 27.—The municipality has presented William J. Bryan with a gold medal, and also gave Mrs. Bryan a medal studded with diamonds and rubies, and their daughter a similar though smaller token of regard.

The ball given by the National club in honor of Mr. Bryan was a splendid function. President Leguia was present.

KILLED WHILE COASTING

John Hough Is Dead and Two Others Fatally Injured.

Steersman of Bobsled Loses Control and Strikes Telephone Pole with Serious Results.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 27.—John Hough, aged eleven, is dead, Walter Smith, fifteen, and Marjorie Houghton, aged fourteen, are fatally injured and several others are suffering from broken limbs as the result of a coasting accident in Theresa.

A party of school children, numbering about a dozen, were coasting down a long hill in the village on a pair of bobs. Young Hough lost control of the wheel which steered the sled, while going about sixty miles an hour. The bobs ran into a telephone pole and the occupants were thrown in all directions.

Evansville Journal Burned Out. Evansville, Ind., Jan. 27.—Fire has destroyed the building and the plant of the Journal-News company. The loss to the newspaper probably will be more than \$100,000.

THE MARKETS

Cash Grain Market.

Chicago, Jan. 27. Winter wheat by sample: No. 2 red, \$1.26@1.28; No. 3 red, \$1.22@1.26; No. 2 hard, \$1.12@1.15; No. 3 hard, \$1.10@1.12. Spring wheat by sample: No. 1 northern, \$1.12@1.15; No. 2 northern, \$1.12@1.14; No. 3 spring, \$1.09@1.13. Corn by sample: No. 2, 64½@65½c; No. 2 white, 66½@67½c; No. 2 yellow, 66½c; No. 3, 63½c; No. 3 white, 65@65½c; No. 3 yellow, 63@64c; No. 4, 61½@62c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 28,000. Quotations ranged at \$8.25@8.30 for choice heavy, \$8.10@8.20 choice light, \$8.15@8.25 heavy packing, \$7.30@8.00 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 19,000. Quotations ranged at \$7.50@8.00 for choice to prime steers, \$4.25@5.25 good to choice heifers, \$4.00@4.50 good to choice calves, \$5.00@5.60 selected feeders, \$4.00@4.40 good to choice stockers.

Sheep—Receipts 18,000. Quotations ranged at \$7.75@8.25 for good to choice lambs, \$5.60@5.90 good to choice wethers, \$5.15@5.50 good to choice ewes.

Omaha Live Stock.

Cattle—Receipts 5,000 head; market slow and lower; native steers, \$3.75@6.75; cows and heifers, \$3.00@5.00; western steers, \$3.25@5.35; Texas steers, \$3.00@4.85; cows and heifers, \$2.50@4.25; canners, \$2.00@4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@5.25; calves, \$4.00@8.00; bulls, stags, etc., \$3.00@5.00.

Hogs—Receipts 9,000 head; market 5@10c lower; heavy, \$7.95@8.05; mixed, \$7.90@7.95; light, \$7.75@7.95; pigs, \$6.75@7.50; bulk of sales at \$7.00@7.95.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000 head; market slow and lower; yearlings, \$6.50@7.25; wethers, \$5.00@5.75; ewes, \$4.75@5.50; lambs, \$7.25@8.25.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 25 cars market dull. Hogs—Receipts 20 cars, market lower; heavy, \$5.50; Yorkers, \$8.40; pigs, \$8.15@8.25. Sheep—Receipts 20 cars market slow; best lambs, \$8.25; yearlings, \$7.25@7.60; wethers, \$6.00@6.25; ewes, \$5.50@5.75. Calves—Best, \$5.00@10.50.

A Costly Funeral

The most costly state funeral which has ever taken place was perhaps that of Alexander the Great. A round million was spent in laying Alexander to his rest. The body was placed in a coffin of gold filled with costly aromatics, and a diadem was placed on the head. The funeral car was embellished with ornaments of pure gold, and its weight was so great that it took eighty-four mules more than a year to convey it from Babylon to Syria.

The Main Thing.

Chief of Detectives—Now give us a description of your missing cashier. How tall was he? Business Man—I don't know how tall he was. What worries me is that he was \$10,000 short.

Joys are our wings, sorrows are our spurs.—Richter.

In order that patrons may have their purchases strictly fresh, proprietors of fish markets in some European cities sell fish alive, their customers selecting their fish as they swim within sight in a tank. This practice takes account of the fact that the shorter the time between water and frying, the more delicious the fish is.

CALENDARS FOR 1911

Our line for 1911 is now ready.

MR. BUSINESS MAN don't order until you have seen what we have to offer—no better assortment is shown by any one. Our solicitor will call upon you soon, or will be glad to make special appointment by telephone.

B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO.

TESTED AND PROVEN

THERE IS A HEAP OF SOLACE IN BEING ABLE TO DEPEND UPON A WELL-EARNED REPUTATION.

For months Dixon readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

E. B. Fisher, 116 Hennepin Ave., Dixon, Ill., says: "Excessive standing affected my kidneys and caused a lameness and soreness across the small of my back. There were acute pains in my sides and other difficulties convinced me that my kidneys needed attention. Finally I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the Leake Bros. Co.'s Drug store and they brought prompt relief. I consider this remedy the best one on the market for kidney complaint." (Statement given April 14, 1909.)

Confirmed Proof.

When Mr. Fisher was interviewed on January 4, 1910, he said: "I am glad to verify my former endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills and again recommend them. Whenever my back or kidneys bother me, I take a few doses of this remedy and get the desired relief. I would not be without a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills in the house."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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CUSTOMERS want what they want when they want it, and when they do they'll buy your goods if you let them know you've got what they want at the price they want to pay.

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Kansas Hard Wheat Flour.

Ask about that Fine Set of Dishes given with this Flour.

TRY A SACK.

and be convinced of its qualities.

North Side Grocery
Geo. W. Hill, Prop.

Save by Buying Now!

In order to re-arrange our stock and make room for a consignment of new goods we will

FOR THE BALANCE OF THIS WEEK
conduct a special low price sale on

COUCHES.

The discount brings prices so low you cannot afford to miss them.

G. J. Reed, Furniture EAST FIRST ST.

Record, the Best Evidence

The record of this bank, as shown by the strength of its resources and its successful career, bear testimony to the service and satisfaction our customers have received. We give our unreserved efforts to please our customers and protect their interests.

This bank is conservative, but not too much so. We try to be liberal enough—to see far enough ahead—to promote our patrons' interests.

INTEREST 4 PER CENT ON SAVINGS
13 PER CENT ON CERTIFICATES

City National Bank.

DIXON, ILLINOIS

SACRIFICE SALE!

1000 pairs of Ladies' Good Shoes

To the ladies of Lee and adjoining counties. The biggest bargains ever offered. The Famous Ford's \$3.00 Special for this week—\$2.50.

In Goodyear Welts and Hand-turned, new swing last, medium and high heels. In short and long Vamps and Blucher lace and button. Never before sold at this price. Mail orders filled when accompanied by cash.

FORD'S CASH SHOE STORE
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The question as to how long you are going to continue a sufferer from indigestion, dyspepsia, or out-of-order stomach is merely a matter of how soon you begin taking some Diapypsin.

If your stomach is lacking in digestive power, why not help the stomach to do its work, not with drastic drugs, but a re-enforcement of digestive agents, such as are naturally at work in the stomach.

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Go to your druggist and get a 50 cent case of Pape's Diapypsin now and you will always go to the table with a hearty appetite, and what you eat will taste good, because your stomach and intestines will be clean and fresh, and you will know there are not going to be any more bad nights and miserable days for you. They freshen you and make you feel like life is worth living.

The Manly Man.

"After you've been two weeks in the house with one of these terrible bandy men that ask their wives to be sure to wipe between the times of the forks and that know just how much raising bread ought to have and how to hang out a wash so each piece will get the best sun it's a real joy to get back to the ordinary kind of man. Yes, 'tis so!" Mrs. Gregg finished with much emphasis. "I want a man who should have sense about the things he's meant to have sense about, but when it comes to keeping house I like him real helpless, the way the Lord planned to have him!"—Youth's Companion.

YOUNG MEN WANTED

GOVERNMENT PAYS RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS \$800 TO \$1,400 A YEAR.

Free Scholarships Are Offered. Uncle Sam holds spring examinations for railway mail clerks in this vicinity.

The job is for life; hours are short, salary twice monthly and vacation. To any young man who has energy enough to answer, this is the opportunity of a lifetime.

Thousands of appointments are to be made. Common school education is all you need; city and country people have equal chance. Start to prepare now—free information. Free scholarships this month. Write immediately to Central Schools, Dept. 289, Rochester, N. Y.

The grits furnished the flock constitute the hens' teeth. When the grits are not furnished it's hard chewing.

Where it is to be had there is no ration for furnishing animal food or the flock of hens that surpasses sweet skim milk.

The Minnesota farmer by paying 50 cents as a registry fee may have a sort of copyright on the name which he selects for his farmstead. This keeps any other farm owner from using the same name.

The other day we read of a little child that could just toddle getting hold of and sucking down some thirty headache tablets, the kind that stop the pain because of the poisons they contain. The baby went into convulsions and died.

A reader of these notes who is interested in hotbeds inquires about the efficiency of the double pane hotbed sash. We have not used this type of sash and would be pleased if any of our readers could give our inquirer some light on the subject.

One of the best flocks of hens for winter laying that we ever saw was turned out on a pile of litter on the south side of a barn when the weather was not too severe and made to scratch for their grain ration. In this way the hens got two essentials, exercise and fresh air.

There is no mill so good for grinding corn for young pigs or so cheaply operated as the strong jaws and sound teeth nature provided them with. Moreover, when corn is ground in this way it is properly mixed with saliva, and there is no boiling of the food, as time is taken to masticate it.

Before adopting buttermilk as a health potion calculated to enrich the blood and build up shattered nerves it will be well for the patient to inquire whether such milk is sterilized before it is drunk, as it may be laden with tuberculosis, which would make the "last end of the man worse than the first."

Great Clearing Sale!

OF PHIL N. MARKS

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Saturday, Jan. 29th, at 9 A. M.

at Store One Door North of Our Store.

The Event of the Year---a Clean-Up Sale!

The Great Savings will make Everyone Happy. Great concessions on Everything. We have a large quantity of Broken Lots. Also have made some Lucky Purchases of Bankrupt Stock. Also a lot of Factory-Damaged Shoes, bought of Watson-Plummer Shoe Co. We also have about 500 Dollars worth of Goods---damaged by Leaking of Roof and prior to Inventory we intend to make a Bonafide Lowering of Prices for the purpose of making a prompt clearance of all Merchandise without regard to cost or former selling price. You will find every article quoted here bearing a price that instantly proclaims a Saving that will appeal to you

The Biggest Money-Saving Proposition Ever Made---Read Every Item

From now on until Stock-Taking we must clean out all Broken Lots, Odds and Ends, Etc, and prices are cut recklessly and you can pick out the Greatest Bargains of the year. It is an opportunity that comes so infrequently it will pay you to anticipate your wants and take advantage of this Rare Occasion and don't you miss it.

Overcoats

This collection of Overcoats must all go like wildfire. These Extraordinary Low Prices will do it.

Men's Heavy Overcoats, odds and ends \$2.50 and.....	\$3.50
Men's Heavy Black Beaver Overcoats, all sizes.....	\$4.50
Men's Good Heavy up-to-date Melton and Stripes.....	\$5.50
Men's Good Heavy up-to-date Automobile style, \$5.50, \$6.50 and.....	\$7.50
Men's Cravenettes, extra fine, striped.....	\$7.50

Boys' Overcoats

Large assortment of odds and ends, 9 to 20, years old \$2.50, \$3.50 and.....	\$5.50
100 Child's Overcoats, 3 to 8 years, 75c \$1.50.....	\$2.50

Men's Odd Vests

Great sacrifice, only.....	50c
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Young Men's Pants

100 Pairs Odds and Ends, 14 to 20 years, 50c, 75c and.....	\$1.00
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Boys' Knee Pants SACRIFICED

350 Pair Knee Pants, 4 to 15 years, 15c, 20c, 25c and.....	35c
Extraordinary Bargains in Men's Pants, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and.....	\$1.50
Men's Heavy Extra Size Pants, 44, 46, 48, extra sizes only, a pair.....	\$1.00

Men's Corduroy Sheep-Lined Coats.....	\$3.95
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Men's Blue Overalls.....	40c
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Furnishings

We cut the price Deep so as to effect Clearing of Odds and Ends.

Men's Fancy Shirts, with or without collars 25c and.....	35c
Men's Socks, per pair, 5c and.....	10c
Men's Shirts and Drawers, odds and ends 25c and.....	35c

Clothing

Men's Sack Suits at prices that have never been beaten.

Lot No. 1, Men's Fancy Cotton Worsted Suits, per suit.....	\$2.50
Lot No. 2, Consists Men's All-Wool Suits Cassimeres Worsted fancy patterns, only.....	\$3.50
Lot No. 3, Men's Fancy Cassimeres and Worsted Suits, neat, per suit only.....	\$4.50
Lot No. 4, Men's Good Heavy Worsted Suits, striped, Checks, plain blue and black.....	\$5.50
Lot No. 5, Men's Dark Suits, Olive Mixture and fancy Stripes.....	\$6.50
Lot No. 6, Men's Fancy Worsted Broken Checks. Striped patterns, per suit.....	\$7.50

500 Young Men's Suits, 14 to 20 yrs.

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Lot No. 8, Grey and Fancy Cassimere Suits, per suit.....	\$3.50
Lot No. 9, Good Heavy Blue and Black Thibet Suits.....	\$4.50
Lot No. 10, Fancy Cassimere Stripes and Checks.....	\$5.50

Boys' Suits 4 to 16 yrs.

Lot No. 11, A Mixed Lot of Odds and Ends per suit.....	75c
Lot No. 12, A Mixed Lots of Odds and Ends, per suit.....	1.25
Lot No. 13, A fine Lot of Worsted Suits per suit.....	2.00
Lot No. 14, A fine lot of Worsted and Cassimere Suits.....	2.50
Lot No. 15, A fine Lot of All-Wool Serges Fancy Worsted Suits, only.....	3.50

Special Clearing of Hats and Caps

Men's, Boys' and Children's Caps, 5c, 10c 15c, 20c and.....	25c
Men's and Boys' Hats, 25c, 50c, 75c and.....	\$1.00

Men's Suspenders LOW PRICES.

Men's Suspenders, per pair 10c, 15c and.....	20c
Boys' Suspenders, per pair 5c and.....	10c
Ladies' and Children's and Misses' Hose, 5c, 8c, 10c and.....	15c
Knitted Tam O'Shanter, and Toques, 10c and.....	15c

Great Shoe Sale

Lot No. 1, Infants' Stiff-Sole Shoe 25c and.....	35c
Lot No. 2, Children's Factory-damaged Odds and Ends in Patent Kid and Tans, 75 to 8.....	50c

Great Shoe Sale

Lot No. 3, A Mixed Lot, 8 to 12.....	75c
Lot No. 4, A mixed Lot Oxfords, etc.....	95c
Lot No. 5, A Mixed Lot Ladits' Kid, Box Calf, etc.....	98c
Lot No. 6, Men's and Women's Odds and Ends.....	\$1.25
Lot No. 7, Men's and Women's Patent Kid, etc.....	\$1.50
Lot No. 8, Men's and Women's Fine Goodyear Welts.....	\$2.25

A great many of these SHOES are factory-damaged from our home factory and so slight are some that it is unnoticeable. Many of these Shoes are worth double what they are marked to sell at.

Boots and Rubbers

Men's Rubber Boots, second quality....	\$1.50
Men's Leather Boots \$1.75 to.....	\$2.50
Odds and ends, mismates in Rubbers, 10c, 15.....	25c

Gloves and Mitts

A Mixed Lot of Sample Golf Gloves for children, Misses and Women, 10c and.....	15c
Infants Wool and Silk Mitts, 5c and 10c worth.....	25c

Neckties and Scarfs

1500 Fancy Neckties, Bow Scarfs, Tecks, Four-in-Hand, Band Bows, String Ties, 5, 10 15,.....	25c
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* —Ruskin.*



OPERA HOUSE.
Despite rumors that the Opera house is going to close it is positively stated that these rumors are without foundation and the house is steadily growing in popularity with Dixon people who find amusement of a clean and refined nature here. A change in program is announced for tonight, which will make a great hit with those who like fun.

Dean Noyes & Co., in a very funny comedy sketch are at the head of the bill. There are three people in this act who will keep you roaring with laughter every minute. Don't fail to see "Shorty" Kerfeyer, the funny man of vaudeville. Provolo, the whistling ventriloquist, also comes highly recommended.

There are five motion pictures on the program, three of which are good comedy subjects and the other an Indian picture and a dramatic subject.

Next Monday the Winninger Bros. will open a week's engagement at the opera house with an entire new set of plays. Frank Winninger, the popular German comedian, is with the company.

COMIC SKATER AT THE RINK TONIGHT

Jack Potch, comic skater, will open a three nights engagement at the roller rink this evening. He will also give a performance at the rink on Saturday afternoon. He recently filled an engagement at the roller rink at DeKalb and the following in the Chronicle concerns his performance:

One of the big crowds of the season saw Jack Potch, the comic skater do his funny stunt, Heinnekabubler's first time on Skates, and it is safe to say that two-thirds of them will be there again tonight. He puts up the biggest show for a dime ever put on here and the applause which started last night with his entrance kept up until the close of his act. Tonight he promises an entire change of program. The relay race will be an interesting affair. If you haven't seen Potch yet don't miss him tonight, and if you have seen him no advertising is necessary.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our thanks to all the friends whose help and words of comfort lightened our hours of sorrow during the illness and at the time of the death of our father, John Burns.

Frank Burns and Family.

OPERA HOUSE.

Change of Program Tonight

ANOTHER KNOCKOUT
DEAN NOYES & CO.
Comedy Sketch
Three People
Wait Till You See

Shorty Kerfeyer
PROVOLO
Whistling Ventriloquist

MOVING PICTURES
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LOIS OF COMEDY

COMING MONDAY
THE OLD FAVORITES
WINNINGER BROS.
FRANK JOE
JOHN ADOLPH

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

Friday Evening.
Mrs. E. M. Goodsell will entertain a few young ladies at her home on Friday evening.

Thimble Club.
The East End Thimble club held a meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Addison Goodman.

Meeting Tonight.
The Woodmen of the World will hold a meeting tonight at Rickard hall.

Songsters Club.
The Happy Songsters club will meet this evening for rehearsal at 7:30 at St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Associate Charity.
The Dixon Associate Charity organization will meet with Miss Rosbrook this evening at her home on E. First street.

Aid Society.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. M. Roe, 817 Third street.

Rebekah Lodge.
The regular meeting of Minnie Belle Rebekah lodge will be held tomorrow evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Several candidates will be initiated and all members are urged to be present.

Schoolmates Surprised Her.
Yesterday after school a number of the little friends of Miss Vera home called at her home and carried out a most successful surprise to her. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments served.

At Norris Home.
The employees of the O. H. Brown tore enjoyed last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Norris in oyster supper was a feature of the evening and phonograph music also aided in the festivities.

At Lievan School.
H. C. Bissner, teacher of the Lievan school, three miles south of Dixon on the Pump Factory road, will give a basket social Friday evening. A large number of Dixon people, including several of the candidates for office, will attend. A splendid program has been arranged.

Gave Fine Program.
In announcing the program given at the meeting of the Ladies of the G. A. R. Circle Tuesday evening, by some oversight no mention was made of the first number on the program which was a pleasing duet by Miss Fannie Woodyatt and E. Hedler with piano and drum.

Home Benefit Social.
The Home Benefit Society will hold a social at 8 o'clock in Macabee hall. A program of music and readings and Captain Arnold W. Sterrick, comedian, of Elgin, will entertain. Refreshments, and music by the orchestra. All members are urged to come and bring their friends.

Home Fraternal League.
There will be a special meeting of the Home Fraternal League Friday evening, Jan. 28, at Miller's hall. All members are requested to be present as there will be business of importance to be transacted. Supreme President Wm. G. Brown of LaSalle will be here and address the members.

At Lievan Home.
Twenty Dixon people participated in a sleighride to the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lievan on the Dutch road Wednesday evening, where they spent a delightful evening and demolished an appetizing supper. Dave Spencer is said to have been the promoter of the party and the evening proved a very pleasant one.

Sleighride Enjoyed.
The members of the Kendall club their husbands or friends, as the case might be, enjoyed a sleighride to the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dysart, east of Nachusa, last night. There were about twenty in the party and the trip was greatly enjoyed, the weather being moderately cold. At the Dysart home a delicious hot supper was served and the return trip was made. The hot trip over a few times, but this detracted nothing from the pleasure of the evening, inasmuch as variety is the spice, etc.

Ladies' Night.

Last night was Ladies' night at the Elks club and a small but jolly company gathered to spend the evening with cards, dancing or other games.

Henry Reinhart of China township Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kesselring and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kersten of Franklin Grove were guests at the home of Attorney and Mrs. J. O. Shaulis, yesterday.

W. M. S. Tomorrow.

The W. M. S. will hold its regular meeting at the Presbyterian church on Friday at 3 p. m. Light refreshments will be served after the program.

Guild Supper.

The members of St. Agnes Guild of the Episcopal church will give one of the universally good chicken pie suppers on next Tuesday evening in the guild rooms of the church. Mr. Downing is to furnish some of his Chase & Sanborn coffee free of charge to the young ladies.

To Sterling Monday

On Monday evening quite a number of our young people will go to Sterling to attend the dancing party given by twelve young men of that city. A private car, through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Downs, will convey the guests to and from Sterling.

For Miss Ford.

Last evening the young ladies of the Home telephone exchange were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Meredith, Miss Ford's aunt. The gathering was held in Miss Ford's parlor. The evening was pleasantly spent in music, a number of the guests contributing to the enjoyment of the evening. A sumptuous supper was enjoyed.

Bowlers Banqueted.

The All Star bowling team, winners of the city championship, were entertained with a banquet by the High Rollers at the Hotel Morrison last evening. An elaborate menu was served at 7 o'clock. After the repast two short addresses were given, by C. Gonnemann and the two captains, Gray, of the All Stars and Moore of the High Rollers.

Royal Neighbors to Install.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a regular meeting Friday night when the installation of officers will occur. There will also be adoption work and at the close of the business meeting a social session will be held. All members are expected to be present.

The officers to be installed are: Mrs. Dora Bush, Oracle. Mrs. Howard Burket, Vice Oracle. Mrs. Dora Heft, Past Oracle. Mrs. Mary Carter, Chancellor. Mrs. Della Jones, Recorder. Mrs. Katherine Goodman, Receiver. Mrs. Rebecca Martin, Marshal. Mrs. Estella Wuerth, Manager for three years. Mrs. Clara Edaus, Inside Sentinel. Mrs. Teresa Hueter, Outside Sentinel. Miss Marian L. White, Physician.

Ashton People Wed.

Miss Clara Ventler and Harry Schafer of Ashton were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Ventler, in Ashton township at 3 p. m. Wednesday, Rev. Mack of the Ashton Lutheran church officiating. Following the ceremony an elaborate dinner was served. The bridal couple left last evening on a wedding trip to Iowa where they will visit for several days. They will later return to Ashton where they will reside on a farm south of town.

Ideal Club.

The Ideal club met with Mrs. Lloyd Lewis on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hiller read a very interesting paper on the life of Bernard Pallis, which described the wonderful perseverance of the famous potter, in the face of innumerable difficulties, to discover the art of glazing pottery. It is to be regretted that one who worked so hard for success should be compelled to spend the last years of his life in prison on account of his religious belief.

Mrs. Lewis then recited a "Serenade" which was the cause of much merriment. Mrs. McWethy read a paper describing Colorado's greatest natural wonder, the Royal Gorge. After the program refreshments were served by the hostess and a very pleasant hour passed.

Call at the Evening Telegraph office and see our new and up to date line of ladies' and gentlemen's engraved calling cards. 22tf

DEMENT TOWN DOINGS

Billy Wright, the popular traveling salesman for John A. Tollman & Co., wholesale grocers of Chicago, was on the avenue this morning calling on his old friend and customer, W. C. Jones. Mr. Wright sold Mr. Jones his first order of groceries 21 years ago when he started in business and Mr. Jones has been his customer ever since. But twice in that time has Mr. Wright failed to make his regular trips, once he was on the federal grand jury and the other time on account of illness, a record held by few traveling men in any line of business. He has made Dixon for 28 years.

The wife of a man who came home late insisted upon a reason. "When I go out without you I do not enjoy myself half as much, and it takes me twice as long," he said.

Mr. Smith, spoke up the young lawyer, I came here as a representative of your neighbor, Tom Jones, with the commission to collect a debt due him.

I congratulate you, answered Mr. Smith, on obtaining so permanent a job at such an early stage in your career.

Dear George:

I want to write you der noose as I haf not had a letter from you for some time. Vell—I got der fever, so ter odder day I bot a Auto—yes I bot von—I don't like der name of der machine bu der men said it could haf happened enyhow. I paid \$1150 for der machine, but I found der dot don't amount to someding enyhow.

You sea Georg, after I got der machine, I hat to buy a glas front, vel der dot only cost \$14 each, den somebody told me I must haf a top because der price of tops is goin' up. Vel I got der top price \$185, den I bot a prestissimo gas tank, or something like der dot, den I wanted a horn der dot would make noise enough so der everyone would know I was coming der dot off; dey hat to know der because I am such a daring shofar; I ake all kinds of chanes just to show I am prave. Vel enyhow I got a Gabril horn cost \$25. Py golly der dot a horn; no wonder it costs \$25. Now Georg after I figure all expenses to get started including \$2000 accident insurance and tires un der der necessities, my machine cost me \$2,401.38.

Der man I run into last week says e thinks I can settle mit him out of ourt; I got dat machine fixed all right. You see Georg der carbonator der tangled up mit der commutator and der storage batteries needed some magnetos because der spark plugs had der coils rolled around der generators. All der cut outs needed iling und der clutch der frictions mit der friction wouldn't clutch so I hat to make a differential in der transmission. Py golly Georg I vish you knew as much about Autos as I do. You see I fix my OWN machine, otherwise it would cost me \$375 a month instead of—vell, I didn't say. Ven you come Vest again I vill gif you a ride, Mit best wishes I am, Always your goot friend, HEINRICH.

SELLS HIS INTEREST IN STORE AT GARY

Clayton Higley, formerly of Dixon, has returned from Gary, Ind., where he has been associated in business his winter with Barclay Bowles, a former Dixon resident. Mr. Higley and Mr. Bowles embarked in the shoe business and conducted it very successfully. Last Thursday Mr. Bowles purchased Mr. Higley's share of the business and will continue to carry it on. Both of the gentlemen liked Gary very much but on account of Mr. Higley's interests being in Dixon and the health of his family, he decided to again make this city his home.

Mr. Higley was formerly employed at the Bee Hive, Eichler Bros., proprietors, and has again been engaged by them as head of the shoe department.

CANDIDATES SPEND WEDNESDAY IN PAWPAW

Deputy Sheriff C. P. Reid, candidate for sheriff, spent yesterday at Pawpaw talking to the farmers. On Wednesday of each week Frank Edwards, formerly of this city, gives away a set of dishes at his store and the farmers flock into his place of business. The candidates throughout the county have become wise to the fact and Pawpaw is filled with office seekers on that day.

County Superintendent I. F. Edwards will address the students of Dixon college in Chapel hall tomorrow morning.

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Secretary W. T. Lackland received a telegram from Chicago today from Supt. Beck of the C. & N. W. stating that one of the officials of the industrial department will be here tomorrow evening to address the Men's club.

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All Ladies' Coats formerly priced at \$10.00 to \$16.50 your choice now for **\$5.00**

Lot Misses' Coats, value up to \$8.75, at **\$3.25**

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WATSON'S SIDE

LEADS IN TOURNAMENT

Since the last report of the Dixon club billiard tournament the following four games have been played:

Watson	Thompson
Dement, 40	Stephens, 50
Brown, 30	Rink, 50
Smith, 50	Hunt, 31
Chandler, 50	Todd, 27.

Up to date Watson's side has made 270 points and Thompson's side 239 points.

MELTING OF SNOW

MAKES BAD ROADS

On account of the thaw the roads in the country are in bad condition. Due to the melting of the deep snow. Horses are breaking through, broke the beaten path and many serious accidents have happened.

On Wednesday, Howard Rickard, who was driving a team for Ellis Williams of Jordan township, broke through the snow and one of the horses fell down and was severely cut by the other's shoes. The horse had to be unhitched and another substituted.

PHIL N. MARKS'

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Page three of this issue is devoted to the advertising of a great clearing sale, to open on Saturday, the 29th, at Phil N. Marks' store on Galena avenue.

Mr. Marks has leased the large room just north of his store for this special sale and will place here the large lines of goods he intends to close out. The assortment of goods which are to be sold at a great sacrifice include broken lots, lucky purchases of bankrupt stock, factory damaged shoes from the local factory and some goods damaged by a leaky roof. Some remarkable bargains will be found at this sale.

NAMELESS WONDERS TOOK

FIRST GAME IN SERIES

The Nameless Wonders took the first game in the bowling tournament from the All Stars at the opera house alleys last evening by the score of 2328 to 2294. The next game will be played Wednesday evening.

The following are the scores of the game:

All Stars.			
Self	177	171	160
Gray	165	141	145
Moore	122	151	170
Ankeny	123	124	138
Fritz	164	171	172

Totals 751 758 785

Wonders.

Peters	181	169	143
Gonnerman	142	149	145
Hefley	134	154	145
Anderson	175	168	172
Heckman	148	144	159

Totals 780 784 764

MRS. HANNAH EMMERT

INJURED BY FALL

Mrs. Hannah Emmert of Nachusa township slipped and fell down a stairway and sustained several severe bruises on the limbs and body. A deep gash was also cut in her face. A physician dressed her wounds, it requiring several stitches. Mrs. Emmert is an elderly lady, about 80 years old, and the accident is very serious.

POULTRY PRICES HIGH

The poultry prices are still at high water mark for this season of the year. The Legg Poultry company is paying 10 cents for hens and 12 for springs, live weight. There is still plenty of poultry in the country.

F. E. Clink of Sublette was here today.

Will Hintz is in DeKalb today on business.

NEWS OF HARMON AND THE VICINITY

ROYAL NEIGHBORS WILL HAVE MASKED BALL FRIDAY NIGHT.

ODD FELLOWS LODGE IN WALNUT

Several Harmonites Will Join Woodmen to Have Banquet in Walnut Tonight.

Harmon, Ill., Jan. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Farrell and daughter, Ethel, of Eaton, N. D., are visiting Mrs. Farrell's father, Alonzo Connor. They visited Mrs. Farrell's aunt at Manning before they arrived in Harmon.

Misses Edith and Bessie Gold and Blanch Willstead and Messrs. Geo. Poisel, Holmes Knigat and Wm. Gold accompanied Rev. Willstead to Dixon Sunday evening. From there he went on the C. & N. W. to Chicago to attend the funeral of Rev. John Armstrong.

Messdames R. M. Long and H. J. Durr and Miss Mae Long and Messrs. Charles Durr and T. H. Long were in Sterling Monday.

Messdames W. H. Kugler and C. McCarter are meeting with good success soliciting funds with which to purchase an organ for the Methodist church.

The Royal Neighbors' masquerade ball is to be held next Friday evening, Jan. 28, instead of Saturday evening, as was stated in our last items.

There are no measles in the vicinity of the King school as was at first reported. The children that are sick in the neighborhood have the gripple.

John W. Wadsworth was called home from his visit in Kansas by the death of his little grandson, George.

Roy Wadsworth and little son who are sick with la gripple are improving. The family has been under the care of a trained nurse.

All of M. J. Tosney's family have been quite sick of la gripple. They are improving, though little Marian is still under the care of Miss Anna Hackett, a trained nurse from Sterling.

Miss Nellie Long and Mrs. E. F. Long were Sterling visitors Thursday.

John D. Long was in Dixon Saturday.

Miss Florence McCormick, who has been suffering from a carbuncle on her arm, is improving.

W. M. Stickney of Chicago will address the farmers of Harmon Saturday, Jan. 29, at 2 p. m. in Durr's hall in regard to organizing for the purpose of establishing a farmers' elevator in Harmon. The farmers are circulating three petitions and have more than 50 subscribers.

Many people south of the village are going to attend the banquet this evening, given by the Woodmen and Royal Neighbors in Walnut. They be long to those orders there.

The Odd Fellows are going to organize a lodge in Walnut on Friday evening. There will be 50 charter members. Some men in this vicinity will join.

Joan Blackburn and lady visited in Dixon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blackburn and daughter, Miss Josie, were Dixon visitors Saturday. Miss Josie went to West Brooklyn Monday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. W. J. Long and attend the bazar given under the auspices of St. Mary's church.

Miss Nellie Blackburn and friend visited friends in Marion on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morrissey and son Lawrence visited at the Peter Blackburn home Thursday.

Miss Lizzie Blackburn and friend visited in Dixon Sunday.

Michael Finn was a Dixon visitor Tuesday.

John Morrissey and Edward Lally visited at the Peter Blackburn home Tuesday.

HOLIDAY VISITORS.

An appalling case of deafness was that of an old lady who lived just across the street from the navy yard. On Washington's birthday they fired a salute of 21 guns. The old lady was observed to start and listen as the last gun was fired, then, adjusting her cap and smoothing her dress exclaimed, "Come in."—Success Magazine.

Entertained Wednesday.

Yesterday afternoon a large number of ladies were entertained most delightfully at the home of Mrs. Dement by Mrs. Mary A. Noble and Mrs. Dement.

MEET TO ORGANIZE CHARITIES ASSO.

ALL INTERESTED WILL GATHER TONIGHT AT HOME OF MISS ROSBROOK.

SYSTEMATIC WORK IS NEEDED

Co-Operation of All Is Asked That the Greatest Good May Be Accomplished.

Dixon is to have an associate charities in which all will be asked to co-operate. Help to those in need is of course in evidence everywhere in Dixon and the city has not been wanting in this regard in the past. Individuals, churches, lodges and the town have each in their own way recognized the call to service. It is felt by many of those interested in this sort of thing that the time has come when some more efficient and systematic operation is needed, not merely to give alms to those who ask but to strive to help those in need to help themselves and thus make the improvement of their condition more permanent, also to protect the giving public from imposters, to discourage giving to irresponsible individuals and organizations without some sort of investigation of their worthiness, and to direct the amount given to charity in such a way as to accomplish the greatest good.

It is desired to conduct a free emergency employment bureau, a work of visitation of the needy and investigation of the social conditions of the city.

Last Thursday evening a number of those interested in this sort of thing met and talked over possible plans of organization. It was determined to call a meeting of those who in any way are concerned about such an enterprise in Dixon at the home of Miss Rosbrook, 315 East First street tonight for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization, which is to be non-sectarian and open to all on the broadest basis of social service. This association is not to be connected with any church, but it will ask the co-operation of all persons and organizations engaged in charitable work. And to this end all are requested to attend the meeting tonight.

AMBOY JOURNAL CO. SUPT. EDWARDS

Regarding the candidacy of I. F. Edwards to succeed himself as county superintendent of schools, the Amboy Journal today says:

It is no disparagement to other worthy and well qualified aspirants to an important office that a feeling of satisfaction prevails pretty generally when a tried and true incumbent of the office announces his decision to become a candidate for re-election. Should the authorized announcement be made that I. F. Edwards would not be a candidate for re-election to the position he has filled with such marked ability for over fifteen years, there should be a feeling of regret throughout the country.

Mr. Edwards' abilities and eminent services have been recognized over northern Illinois and generally in the state. He has been president of the Northern Illinois Teachers' association and president of the State Association of County Superintendents and ranks among the leading educators of the state. Lee county holds a proud position among the counties of the state with Mr. Edwards the county superintendent of schools.

The Parthenon.

The destruction of that famous building the Parthenon took place in 1687 during the siege of Athens by the Venetians. The Turks held the city, and the Parthenon was used for a powder magazine. One day during the conflict a Venetian bombshell dropped into the building, and the explosion followed which badly shattered the structure. From that date the renowned building has stood roofless and exposed to all the inclemencies of the weather. For more than 2,000 years the temple stood entire, and in its ruins is the architectural wonder of the world.—New York American.

Peculiar Taxation in Holland.

Some of the most peculiar of taxations recorded are to be found in the archives of Holland. In 1791, for instance, there was in existence a tax imposed on all passengers traveling in Holland. In 1874 a duty of 2 shillings was levied on each person who entered a tavern before noon, on those who entered a place of entertainment, on marriages and deaths and on many other things. If a person was buried out of the district to which he belonged the tax was payable twice over.

VACUUM CLEANER IS DEMONSTRATED

CREW OF MEN HERE TO INTRODUCE THIS NEW MACHINE.

The squeaky old carpet sweeper and the rap of the broom on the shins which have been a source of annoyance to Dixon husbands when seated in the big rocker striving to read the morning paper, is soon to be past history. You ask what has brought the change? All because the new So Ez Vacuum cleaner has made a visit to our city, and it is here to stay.

A. R. Wyatt, head salesman for the Fulton Metal company, manufacturers of the cleaner, accompanied by Field Manager W. R. Taylor and a force of seven demonstrators, arrived in Dixon this morning from DeKalb where all the housewives threw the brooms over the garden fence and carpet sweepers into the cellar and declared that never again would they use anything but the So Ez Vacuum cleaner.

Today this force of men is canvassing Dixon homes and it is safe to say that Dixon brooms and carpet sweepers will go the same route as those in DeKalb.

Mr. Wyatt states that the machine has been on the market but six months and they are selling like a house afire. They have about 350 men in the state demonstrating and selling the machine.

It is a labor saving device and every housewife in Dixon should be sure and see the demonstrations. It is also a health-saving machine, as the device is operated without scattering dust and germs on the furniture. C. Gonnerman, the local furniture man, is the local agent and demonstrations are given there every afternoon and evening. Ask to see the mattress cleaning and upholstering chair demonstration when the demonstrator calls at your home or across the city.

They are sold on easy payments.

LEE ITEMS.

Lee, Ill., Jan. 27.—Ole Parker of Rochelle was here Tuesday.

Mrs. John Arndt was in Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. George Beels and daughter Villa were in Dixon on last Tuesday.

Thomas Hillison made a trip to Jewell Junction, Iowa, on last Thursday.

Jacob Winterton was called to Chicago on Wednesday on account of the critical condition of his wife, who is at present in a hospital in Chicago.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Rodge Jan. 15, a daughter.

Thomas Nelson, who has been visiting in Rockford, is in our midst again.

Wrigley and Minnahan have received two carloads of ice from Aurora.

Mrs. Anna O'Connors remains arrived from Aurora Thursday for in-ment.

Miss Carrie Winterton returned on Wednesday from a five weeks' visit in Aurora.

Mrs. H. J. Olson of Chicago is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Howard Hanson.

Alvin Mertens is teaching school near Rochelle in the absence of Mrs. Bert Way, who is ill.

Mrs. Sophia Smith has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Carlson, and children of Shabbona during the past week before leaving for their future home.

Osmund Tysdal of South Dakota is visiting with old friends and acquaintances here. He left here 26 years ago and this is his first visit since that date.

John Donnelly and Miss Mary Murray of DeKalb county were married here on last Tuesday at St. James church by Father Parker.

A literary society was organized on last Monday evening in the school house. Only a few were present, but it promises to be a success. The following are the officers elected: President, Henry Elde; Secretary, Randolph Younggreen, and treasurer, George Cuts. The society expects to meet on every Friday evening.

Constable W. V. E. Steel was in Eldena today on professional business.

Mrs. John Fellows of 518 Peoria avenue, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Wm. Downey of Trenton, Mo., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Phalen.

States Attorney Harry Edwards went to Chicago today on professional business.

OAK RIDGE.

Oak Ridge, Jan. 26.—Wilbur two ear loads of cattle to Chicago on Brooke and Harry Deitze shipped Monday.

John and Samuel Young were in Dixon Friday.

The dancing party given at the Grand Detour hall by the Ridge and River people was surely a success, about sixty being present and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all, with supper served at the Sheffield House.

Mrs. Hamilton is visiting in Dixon this week.

Ralph Jones has moved to near Chana.

Thomas Guynn and DeWitt Warner returned from Chicago on last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooke drove to Oregon Saturday.

Gladys Sells is very ill.

Frank Palmer had his teeth extracted last week and is under the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Law and son of Sterling visited with the former's mother, Mrs. Walter Mumma, last week.

Mrs. Young and daughter Myra drove to Oregon Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Bartholomew of Dixon spent a few days at her old home on the Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Guynn spent last Sunday visiting at the Remmers home.

Lee Lambert of Galena visited several days with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Pyfer is very ill at present.

Mrs. Charles Lambert is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Hoffman.

ST. JAMES.

St. James, Jan. 26.—Miss Margie Strom of DeSmet, S. D., is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Martha Shippert.

The next meeting of the St. James W. F. M. S. will be held at Ed Burkett's Feb. 10.

There was a party Tuesday night at the Dockness home, on the Chicago road.

The sleigh upsets are not so frequent now.

Preaching services will be held on Sunday night at the St. James church.

by Rev. W. H. Hilbish. Subject, The Apostle's Creed. He explained everything so nicely that all present understood.

MAYTOWN.

Maytown, Jan. 27.—Shelling corn is the order of the day among the farmers.

George Kearns marketed his hogs in Amboy Friday.

Mrs. Charles Nichols and son visited with their friends in Dixon Wednesday.

The mail carrier on route 1 was unable to cover his route Monday on account of the condition of the roads.

Chas. McFadden hauled hogs to Amboy Thursday.

A number from here attended the dance at Daniel Payne's residence in East Grove on last Wednesday evening and all report an enjoyable time.

Judd Haley is visiting friends in Harmon.

Henry Mackin is able to be around again after his recent illness.

Charles Nichols is hauling lumber for his new barn, to be built in the near future.

Stanley Noble visited with relatives and friends in Eldena on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Avery were in Amboy on a shopping tour last Saturday.

Miss Katie Duffy is visiting in Amboy.

Misses Carrie Bauer and Ethel Stannard are visiting friends in Walnut.

Miss May Langle went to Dixon on last Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

Neil Friel shelled and delivered his corn to the Amboy market Tuesday.

DIXON CLUB SMOKER

TOMORROW EVENING

Tomorrow evening, Jan. 28th, the Dixon club will give a smoker, at which "story telling" will have the right of way. There will be told Stories young and stories old, Stories hot and stories cold, and—just stories.

Remember, come and get your share of a good time.



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yard 5c

Celluloid Birthday Postals, 2 for 5c
Dec. paper Napkins, 2 doz for .. 5c
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Large jet or gilt buttons, 3 for .. 10c
Corset cover Embroidery, 1/2 yd. 10c
Orange Flower Skin Food 10c
New High grade Toilet Prepara-
tions 10c
Dec. or plain Crepe Paper 10c
4 oz. Bottle Peroxide 10c
New 1910 Veilings, yd. 10c
Net Covered Hair Rolls 10c
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pair 10c
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Less of hair is caused by the scalp drying up, or losing its supply of moisture or nutriment; when baldness occurs the scalp has simply lost all its nourishment, leaving nothing for the hair to feed upon. In plant or even a tree would die under similar conditions.

The natural thing to do in either case, is to feed and replenish the soil or scalp as the case may be, and your crop will grow and multiply as nature intended it should.

Knowlton's Danderine has a most wonderful effect upon the hair glands and tissues of the scalp. It is the only remedy for the hair ever discovered that is similar to the natural hair foods or liquids of the scalp.

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WATERS ON INCREASE IN PARIS FLOOD

Condition Is Growing
Much Worse.

50,000 ARE HOMELESS

Retaining Walls at Railway Station Break Causing a Panic.

DEATH ON LEFT BANK FEARED

Public Buildings Shelter 15,000 Homeless Sufferers.

Paris, Jan. 27.—About 1 o'clock this morning under the enormous pressure of the flood the retaining walls of the railway station on the Quai d'Orsay gave way. Immediately a tumultuous flood spread over the entire quarter, causing a panic among the residents. The water rose in the streets with frightful rapidity. It was necessary to get boats in a hurry to begin the work of rescuing the residents near the river.

Half clad the inhabitants of the houses flooded to the windows shouting for help. The Rue Poietres are covered with water, which rose at the rate of four inches a minute. The boulevard St. Germain was similarly inundated.

Serious accidents are feared on the left bank of the Seine. The situation remains inexplicably deplorable in suburbs. Fifty thousand persons are without shelter.

TO BURY DEAD PROBLEM

Seins Continues to Rise and Snow Storm Is Now Raging.

Cemeteries Are Under Water—Largest City Sewer Has Burst—Sanitary Conditions Are Serious.

Paris, Jan. 27.—There is every reason to believe that the worst of the flood has not yet been reached. The Seine is still rising. Overnight there was a spell of fair weather and hopes rose in consequence, but two or three hours later snow began to fall and it has continued almost unceasingly ever since.

The water spread through several more districts of the city, chiefly through the various suburbs. It is as though a subterranean lake existed under Paris with only a thin crust to support the city.

A main sewer at Chichy, the largest drain in Paris, has burst. The possibility of other sewers bursting is one of the gravest factors in the outlook. The sanitary officials are gravely concerned because the river and its overflow are already contaminated by refuse of all sorts washed down by the torrent.

Another serious problem is the disposal of the dead. Some of the cemeteries are deeply flooded. One in an eastern suburb is under water to the cross on the mortuary chapel. Many bodies are awaiting burial in the city.

BRIDGES STILL IN DANGER

Firemen and Soldiers Dislodge Wreckage to Relieve Pressure.

Paris, Jan. 27.—The conditions of the bridges spanning the Seine is unaltered. The blowing up of the Alma bridge may yet be averted. The stockade bridge on the St. Louis has been partly dismantled by firemen, thus releasing a great accumulation of wreckage which threatened by its pressure to set the boat stations adrift, with imminent danger to the bridges below.

The populace generally is wonderfully calm. A large proportion who are still unaffected personally can afford to treat the disaster as an interesting spectacle. The nearest approach to panic is shown by wives of the poorer classes, many of whom are devoting their savings to a reckless investment in provisions, fearing a famine.

Rheims, Epervay, Chalons-sur-Marne, Sens, Auxerre and Jeanval are in the midst of floods as well as the towns further down, such as Melun, Corbeil and Nanterre. Two thousand persons in one day quit their houses in Sens. Countless thousands are in distress in the smaller towns and villages.

The flood has invaded the Hotel Continental, stopped the electric supply and upset the kitchen arrangements. The restaurants everywhere are doing increased business, householders being unable to cook at home owing to lack

of fuel and other difficulties. The prices of perishable food continues to rise steadily.

It is figured that there are at least 15,000 persons sheltered in public buildings, glad to have a straw mattress to lie on and a soldier's rations for supper. Their homes and furniture either lie soaking in mud and water or are completely wrecked.

Paris has been divided into five sections, each in charge of a military commander who will control the relief and rescue work. The flood situation grows worse hourly.

One of these districts was only reached by the flood this morning. Today of about 25,000 persons residing in the district of Javel some 10,000 are homeless.

One of the great dangers to Paris now is of subsidence and the crumbling of the foundations of buildings. The ground gateway at the Metropolitan railway station at Percy and the water rushed in. This constituted a danger to the neighboring houses, which the police caused to be hurriedly evacuated.

The cellars of the Louvre are now seriously threatened. Paris of the Louvre quay between the river and the museum have collapsed. There have been falls of masonry on the river bank in the Notre Dame district. The subterranean chapels of the Cathedral of Notre Dame are flooded and the heating apparatus useless.

The German embassy and the Academy of Medicine are flooded. It was not possible to heat the chamber of deputies and the members shivered in their hats and overcoats. The lower cells of the court of justice were completely flooded last night.

The telegraph lines are down in many directions. There is only one line to London instead of four and one to Lyons instead of six. The telephone service is completely crippled.

\$200,000,000 FLOOD DAMAGE

Situation in France Is Growing Worse as Time Passes.

Paris, Jan. 27.—Premier Briand and Minister of Finance Cochery, after a consultation, estimated that the flood losses would exceed \$200,000,000.

A violent earthquake is reported to have occurred at Ruelle in the department of Charente.

COPPER MERGER PERFECTED

Utah Company Directorate Enlarged—Directors Are Chosen.

New York, Jan. 27.—The merger of the Guggenheim Copper companies which was held up by injunction, was perfected immediately after the dissolution of the injunction by the courts in New Jersey. The merger was perfected according to the plan previously announced, the Utah Copper company taking over the Boston Consolidated and nearly half of the stock of the Nevada Consolidated.

The Utah directorate was enlarged from nine to fifteen members and these directors were chosen, Daniel Guggenheim, Murray Guggenheim, S. R. Guggenheim, F. A. Schimer, Ernest Thalmann, Eugene Meyer, Jr., and T. W. Lamont.

FARMERS TO FIGHT UNIONS

Propose to Quit Using Products of Labor Unions for One Year.

Frankfort, Kan., Jan. 27.—At a meeting here a counter boycott was organized directed against the unions who have joined the non-meat using crusade.

The farmers' propose to quit using the products of labor unions for a year. They also charge that the packers are back of the boycott. The declarations of intentions are as follows: "If this meat eaters' strike can be made a matter of organized labor and is carried out, then the farmer proposes to wage an uncompromising war on every labor organization that enters the boycott. They unite for the first time in history against the labor organizations."

EGGS DROP ANOTHER CENT

Reductions in Butter Also From Prices Paid a Week Ago.

New York, Jan. 27.—The wholesale price of fresh eggs have dropped another cent, making a three cent cut in the last two days.

They are selling now at 45 cents a dozen. Beef remained about the same, but some of the other meats, especially pork, were slightly off.

Detailers have come down five cents a dozen on eggs and five cents a pound on butter from the high prices that prevailed last week.

LIVE STOCK DIES IN FIRE

Eighty-Seven Head Perish on Farm Near Wabash.

Wabash, Ind., Jan. 27.—The large barn of Andrew Pearson, south of this city, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin. Eighty-seven head of live stock, including five horses, sixteen cattle and sixty-five sheep, were burned, together with a large quantity of hay, grain and other property. The loss is \$10,000.

Judge A. C. Thompson Dead. Cincinnati, O., Jan. 27.—Judge Albert C. Thompson, of the United States district court for the southern district of Ohio, is dead.

The Weather. Illinois—Fair and cooler today, fair tomorrow.

WORK ON INQUIRY HAS COMMENCED

Joint Committee Meets and the Taking of Testimony Begins.

GIFFORD PINCHOT WAS PRESENT

Glavis Who Preferred the Charges Against the Secretary of the Interior Is the First Witness Before the "Court."

Washington, Jan. 27.—The so-called Ballinger-Pinchot investigation was begun by the joint committee of the senate and house in accordance with the terms of the resolution adopted by congress and approved by President Taft. Gifford Pinchot, the former forester, into whose conduct as head of the forest service the committee will inquire, was present, but Richard A. Ballinger was not there.

Glavis testified that while he was investigating certain applications for coal lands claims in Lewis county, Washington, known as the "Wilson Coal Company cases," he secured a deposition from Watson Allen, who represented the Wilson Coal company in which Allen stated that R. A. Ballinger, then a practicing attorney, had drawn up an agreement and certain deeds, to be held in escrow, conveying the interests in the lands of the entrymen to the Wilson corporation. Glavis claimed that he secured this disposition in conjunction with Henry M. Hoyt, now attorney general for Porto Rico.

The inference sought to be conveyed by the witness was that Mr. Ballinger had been a party to a transaction which would have ultimately led to perjury and a fraud upon the public land office laws.

Considerable interest was aroused by the reference to the visit to Washington in January, 1908, of ex-Governor Miles C. Moore, in behalf of the Cunningham claims, and the order, which followed almost immediately, directing that they be "clear listed." At the time this order was issued Glavis was making preparations under orders to make a "full investigation." Subsequently he found that Moore had received while in Washington information as to what the government agents had discovered in connection with the investigation of the Cunningham cases and copies of all papers.

The hearing was adjourned until Friday morning when Glavis will resume.

GAS KILLS TWO IN CAISSON

Men Are Asphyxiated While at Work 100 Feet Under Ground.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Two workmen were asphyxiated by sewer gas at the bottom of a caisson 100 feet, where the foundations for a new building are being laid.

Two firemen, who at the risk of almost certain death descended in a bucket to bring up the bodies, were overcome by the poisonous fumes.

IDENTIFY HOLD-UP MEN

Prisoners Are Two of Four Who Held Up and Robbed Italians.

Tied Each Man and Secured \$1,500 in Cash and \$600 in Jewelry From Track Layers.

New York, Jan. 27.—Twenty Italians were at police headquarters here to identify Santo Genaro and Colagiero Lampeclusti, who were arrested on a charge of assault and battery.

The two prisoners were positively identified as being two of four men who held up and robbed fifty Italian laborers at Glen Rock, N. J., on Nov. 1, last. The men came to the door of the shanty where the Italians who were employed in laying tracks for a new trolley line lived. It was early evening and dark. They said they were policemen and wanted to interview the laborers separately.

As each man came out in answer to their summons he was tied hand and foot and bound to a tree. When they had got through with the job the robbers were richer \$1,500 in cash and had \$600 worth of jewelry. Then they ate a meal at their captives' expense and left. It was several hours before the men worked themselves loose.

PROTESTS DROP HIGH PRICES

General Trend of Quotations Are on a Return to Normal Conditions.

Philadelphia, Jan. 27.—Forecasting a general drop to normal prices of all meats, the wholesale and, in some cases, retail cost of lamb was reduced one cent a pound here.

Although the markets note no change in prices of beef, veal and pork after the recent decline, wholesale and retail dealers confess that a general decrease in the high prices of food-stuffs is inevitable.

Hogs have suffered a loss of 35 cents or more as the direct result of general protest against excessive prices.

BRIEF REACHES WASHINGTON

Government, It is Said, Will Not Drop Suit—Will Examine Document.

Washington, Jan. 27.—The brief in the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger suit, which the department of justice permitted Judge Robert S. Lockett, Maxwell Everts and other representatives of the Harriman lines to submit for the consideration of President Taft, Attorney General Wickersham and Frank B. Kellogg and C. A. Severance, the government's special counsel, have reached Washington.

It has been stated on good authority that the government will not drop the suit to dissolve, but that both Mr. Wickersham and the president will look over the document carefully.

WOMAN STOPS HANGING

Mother of Attacked Girl Has Suspect Released.

Judge Acts While Mob Is Gathering at the Jail Bent on Hanging Assailant.

Granite City, Ill., Jan. 27.—Yielding to the plea of the mother of an eleven-year-old girl who had been attacked that a lynching be prevented, Judge Edward Riggs ordered the release of a man held as a suspect in the case. A mob was gathering about the jail at the time bent on hanging the man.

When Mrs. Hendricks heard of the threatened lynching she ran to the jail and begged that the suspect be released saying she did not want the man's blood on her daughter's head. The suspect was let out by a rear door and escaped the crowd. He was ordered never to come back to Granite City.

THUNDERBOLT BRINGS RICHES

Poor Woman Sees Barren Land Produce 200 Barrels Daily.

Dalhousie, Ind., Jan. 27.—Mrs. Josie Pettis has declared that a bolt of lightning struck the ground on the mountain side near her farm house recently and uncovered a spring of crude oil which is now producing 200 barrels daily.

The land, before the uncovering of the spring, had barely yielded enough to support her.

BUTTER DROPS IN PRICE HERE

Tub Now Sells at 31c and Prints and Pound Packages at 32c.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Butter has taken another tumble. The drop was 1 cent a pound on the Chicago market and following, as it did, the sensational 6 cent tumble of the commodity in the Elgin market, it was hailed by housewives with joy.

Tub butter is now selling at 31 cents and prints or pound packages at 32 cents.

BEEF INQUIRY HAS STARTED

First Witness Appears Before the Grand Jury in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—The federal grand jury began its investigations of the packing companies.

The men who appeared before the grand jury were C. C. Snow, secretary of the National Packing company; H. E. Moyer, department manager for Armour & Co.; Everett Wilson, in charge of the branch houses for Armour & Co.

SULPHURIC BATH IS FATAL

Burns Foundryman, Who Is Thrown into Tub During Fight.

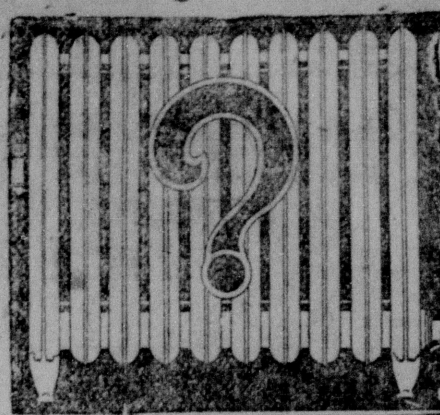
New York, Jan. 27.—Bathed in sulphuric, internally and externally, Roman Tahirsky is dying in a hospital.

During a fight in a brass foundry a fellow workman threw him into a tub full of acid. He swallowed some of the solution, which, although not strong, burned him seriously.

There is probably no article of food that is more enjoyed than the luscious oyster, yet physicians and boards of health are of the opinion that numerous cases of typhoid fever are traceable to eating the bivalves in an uncooked state. Many oyster beds are situated in rivers which receive the germ laden sewage of large cities, and this accounts for their contamination.

Owing to a too dry condition of the soil at seeding time an unsatisfactory and poor stand of grain often results where the broadcast system of seeding is used. The disk drill overcomes this difficulty by putting the seed at an even depth in soil that is moist, thus insuring perfect germination and an even stand. The saving in seed when this method is employed is about 20 per cent.

In the oleo-butter controversy which is on and likely to be brought up for consideration in congress at the present session justice would seem to demand that oleo be made to stand on its own feet and not be allowed to masquerade in any guise for creamery or dairy butter. Were human nature different oleo might even be allowed to be colored without working injustice if it were always sold for oleo, but once let it be colored and some grafter will palm it off on unsuspecting customers as butter and get butter prices for it.



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STEAM
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HEAT?

Both are good—
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Both have advocates—
If you contemplate installing either system, be sure to secure our figures before acting, because

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Leather and Mating Suit Cases—
These are delayed shipments. They
did not arrive in time for Christmas
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Heavy Underwear and Men's
Mittens at

TODD'S HAT STORE

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HOME PHONE 465

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experience of those who use our Classified Columns.

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More than 25 Words, Pro Rata.
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Ads in this column must positively
be paid for in advance.

WANTED.

Twenty Boys Wanted to work for
a Shetland pony, cart and harness.
Liberal pay to bright boys, besides
the chance to earn a pony. Successful
boys will be given permanent posi-
tions which will not interfere with
school duties. Willard Bunnell, 605
N. Ottawa Ave. 221

Wanted, To exchange fine Nebras-
ka farm lands for a good stock of
general merchandise. Address E. B.,
Care Telegraph. 216*

Girl Wanted. We have a perman-
ent position for a young lady who
is not afraid to earn a little more
than her salary and not afraid to
soil her hands. Work is not hard but
plenty to do. Address L. E. C., care
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Wanted. To buy from trappers, fe-
male mink skins. Will pay highest
prices. Enquire J, this office. 84tdw

Wanted. Modern house of 6 or 7
rooms. Write J, this office. 1f

Wanted. A young man of good hab-
its as assistant bookkeeper. Must be
good penman. Address "D" care Tel-
egraph. 20tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

For Sale. For sale or exchange, pl-
ano, practically new, will exchange
for young cattle or milk cows. Re-
frigerator, new gas stove and other
furniture also for sale. Phone
521. 42tf

For fine toned, light action, ele-
gant pianos, fully guaranteed. See W.
F. Strong at 312 West Third street
or at College. Best piano bargain in
Lee county. 35tr

For Sale. Two second hand safes.
Enquire at this office. 65tf

For Sale. Beckwith Round Oak
stove, size 20. Used 2 winters. Price
\$12. Hubert Bahen, Route 5. Phone
8120. 1f

For Sale. Blacksmith shop at Penn-
sylvania Corners. Enquire of the un-
derdesigned. J. S. Kalebaugh. 9324

For Sale. One pair of 4 ton steel
Chicago scales. To be sold cheap.
Scales in good condition. Tom
Young. 11f

For Sale. New wide tire lumber
wagon. Telephone 12910. 196

For Sale. Chunk wood. G. S.
Parks, Phone B. 2. 203*

For Sale. Team of mules, canopy
top surrey, scales, bottle filler, milk
cans, 2 faucet cans, potatoes and
other articles too numerous to men-
tion. C. A. Schrader, Route 3. Phone
42120. 216*

For Sale. Rhode Island Red Cock-
erels, also a few pullets, best strain.
J. L. Hartwell & Son. 22*

FOR RENT.

For rent. Two furnished rooms,
modern conveniences, enquire 602
W. 3rd St. Telephone 55. 68tf

For Rent. Both sides of a double
house at 717 Madison avenue. A. E.
Simonson. 84tf

For rent. 80 acres, 1 mile north
of Harmon. W. H. Dowd, 1132 So.
Marsfield Ave., Chicago, or W. H.
Kugler, Agt., Harmon, Ill. 17tf

For Rent. 3 furnished rooms for
housekeeping. Very convenient. 804
S. Harrison. J. E. Daley. 233

FOR RENT.

On north side, 5 rooms, city water
and cistern, 2 blocks from car line,
\$5.00 per mo.

Two blocks from Court House, a
5 room cottage with city and cistern
water, \$9.00 per mo.

A good cottage on west side one
block from car line, good location,
\$8.00 per mo.

Four nicely furnished rooms for
light house keeping. Good street, one
block from car line. furnace heat.
223 F. E. Stiteley Co.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

The undersigned having purchased
a feed shed at Dixon, Ill., will sell
at public auction 5 1-2 miles south-
west of Dixon, 5 miles northeast of
Harmon, 7 miles east of Sterling, on
the James Geer farm on Tuesday,
February 1, 1910, the following prop-
erty:

24 head of cattle, consisting of 22
head of extra fine choice milch cows,
some fresh and balance heavy spring-
ers; 1 full blooded roan Durham bull
2 years old.

6 head of horses and mules. Con-
sisting of 1 black mare 4 years old,
weight 1400, in foal by Shrader
horse; 1 bay gelding 6 years old,
weight 1100, family broke; 1 bay
gelding 2 years old, 1 black colt com-
ing 1 year, 1 span of well broken
mules coming 4 years old, weighing
about 2200.

5 hogs, consisting of 3 spring
shoots and 2 fine Chester White
boars.

About 60 full blooded White Rock
hens.

Farm Machinery: Consisting of 1
Studebaker wagon with triple box,
good as new; 1 new American tongue
truck disc, 1 new tongue truck Grand
Detour disc, 1 Avery riding corn
plow, 1 Dutch Uncle corn plow, 1
iron 3-section drag, 1 seeder, 1 new
Fuller and Johnson 12-inch gang
plow, 1 Sterling corn planter, 1 new
hay rack, 1 set new breechen har-
ness, 1 set of heavy breechen har-
ness, 2 sets of new fly nets, some
rope, wheelbarrow, milk cans, forks,
shovels, and many other articles too
numerous to mention.

About 15 bushels of seed corn.
Sale commences at 10 o'clock. Oys-
ters served at 12.

Terms of sale: All sums of \$5 and
under cash, all sums over \$5 a cred-
it of 1 years time will be given pur-
chaser giving a good bankable note
with approved security drawing 6
per cent interest from date. 2 per
cent off for cash on sums over \$5.
No property to be removed until set-
tled for.

CLAUDE SWEITZER,
E. J. Pittman, Auct.
J. W. Wadsworth, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALES.

Friday, Jan. 28, 1910—B. F. Wel-
ker, closing out, on Ed Hughes farm,
5 miles northwest of Dixon, Ill.

Feb. 1—Claude Sweitzer, 5 1-2
miles southwest of Dixon. Closing
out sale.

Wednesday, Feb. 2—Mrs. John
Fane, 1-2 mile east of Dixon on Har-
ris farm.

Mrs. John Fane—Wednesday, Feb.
2, on Harris farm, 1 mile east of
Dixon on Franklin Grove road.

Thursday, Feb. 3—Ed Kerwin, 1
1-2 miles west of Harmon.

Tuesday, Feb. 8—Bert Kestead,
on the Henry Decker farm 3 miles
north of Dixon on the Woosung road.

Thursday, Feb. 10—Harry Saultz,
2 1-2 miles north of Dixon on the
Ernest Wepnick farm.

Friday, Feb. 11—Joe Prindaville,
1 1-2 miles northwest of Dixon.

February 14—Joe Lambert, on
the Kaylor farm, 5 miles northeast of
Dixon and 1 1-2 miles west of Grand
Detour.

Tuesday, Feb. 15—Gottfried Gfel-
ler, closing out sale on Crawford's
farm, 3 miles east of Dixon.

Wednesday, Feb. 16—Mrs. Henry
Emmert & Son, 6 miles east of Dixon
and 4 miles west of Franklin Grove
on Franklin Grove road.

Manson Fitts—Wednesday, Feb.
16, 4 miles southwest of Dixon.

Thursday, Feb. 17—Chas. Forth,
6 miles northeast of Dixon at the
Kingdom on Josh Reed farm.

February 18—Oscar E. Eicholtz,
in the village of Nachusa.

Monday, Feb. 21, 1910—Herman
Rauch, 3 miles southeast of Dixon on
Albert Juelfs farm.

Charles Derr is in Chicago to visit
the electrical exposition.
Mrs. H. U. Bardwell is visiting
Mrs. A. S. Hyde in Chicago.

LOST AND FOUND.

Found. Thursday in Leake Bros.
Drug Co. store, some currency. Loser
call at store and identify money.

TO LOAN.

Loans—\$500,000 at 5 per cent to
loan on farms and Dixon real estate.
Chattel security. Money ready any
time. Ashton Land & Loan Co. 1324

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Geo. J. Fruin, Auct. Dixon, Ill.
Write or phone for dates phone
No. 74-43.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR ALDERMAN.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for re-election as alderman of
the First ward of Dixon.

A. J. SCRIVEN.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for the office of County Super-
intendent of Schools of Lee County,
subject to the action of the Repub-
lican voters.

I. F. EDWARDS.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for the office of County Super-
intendent of Schools of Lee County,
subject to the action of the Repub-
lican voters.

L. W. MILLER.

COUNTY JUDGE.

I am a candidate for re-nomina-
tion for County Judge subject to the
will of the Republican party.

ROBERT H. SCOTT.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself a can-
didate for the office of County Judge
of Lee county subject to the action
of the Republican voters.

JOHN B. CRABTREE.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for the office of County Treas-
urer of Lee County, subject to the ac-
tion of the republican voters at the
primaries.

WARREN H. BADGER.

THOMPSON FOR CLERK.

I hereby announce myself as a
candidate for the office of County
Clerk, subject to the action of the
Republican voters.

WILLIAM C. THOMPSON.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce my candidacy
for the office of Sheriff of Lee Coun-
ty, subject to the action of the re-
publican voters of the county.

C. P. REID.

I hereby announce myself a can-
didate for Tax Collector for Dixon
township, for the election to be held
April 5, 1910. Your support at the
polls will be appreciated.

EUGENE W. HANLEY.

I hereby announce myself as a
candidate for Tax Collector for Dix-
on township at the election to be
held April 5th, 1910. Your support
will be appreciated.

JOHN BURKE.

I wish to announce myself as a
candidate for Tax Collector for Dixon
township for the election to be held
April 5th, 1910. I will appreciate
your support.

MILES CARNEY.

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Office over Valle & O'Malley's
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girl's love by taking her aunt
buggy riding is like an attempt
to do business without adver-
tising. The aunt enjoys the
buggy ride, but it doesn't help
your cause with the girl. The
merchant who wants to win
the home folks' trade will win
if he plugs persistently through
these columns.

PHIL N.

The Farmers' and Workmen's Friend
Store that Underbills and
SAVES YOU MONEY

On account of the unusual fine weather
in November, we found some Manu-
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we made a LUCKY PURCHASE and will
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Low Prices:

60 men's Black Beaver Overcoats.....5.75, 7.50
40 Men's Fine Black Kersey Coats.....8.75 to 13.50
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Young Men's Auto Coats, 16 to 20 years.....7.75
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50 Child's Overcoats, 3 to 9 years.....1.95, 2.25
A large consignment of Sheep-Lined Coats
Warm Shoes for Men and Women.

We are Headquarters for all kinds of
Rubbers and Overshoes.

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Having bought out O. E. Wild, I am
ask the continuance of all of Wild's former
patrons and many new ones. We make a
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Shop at 87 Peoria Ave.
Prices Right, all work Guaranteed

CLOSING OUT SALE.

The undersigned intending to quit
farming will have a closing out sale
at his farm 1-4 of a mile east of Har-
mon, on Monday, Jan. 31, 1910. The
following property:

10 head of horses, 1 bay mare 5
years old, in foal, weight 1400; 1
gray mare 8 years old, in foal,
weight 1500; 1 bay mare 11 years
old, weight 1500; 1 roan gelding 12
years old, weight 1400; 1 black geld-
ing 12 years old, weight 1200; 1 sor-
rel gelding 8 years old, broke single
or double, weight 1000; 1 gray mare
2 years old, 1 gray mare 2 years old,
1 yearling colt, one suckling colt.

17 head of cattle, 6 milch cows, 3
fresh, others heavy springers; 3 2-
year old heifers, 2 2-year old steers,
2 bulls, 1 and 2 years old; 4 year-
lings, 3 calves.

26 head of hogs, 13 sows and pigs.
12 barrows, 1 Poland China boar.

Farm Machinery: 1 triple box wag-
on, 1 truck wagon with rack, 1 2-
seated surry, 1 Deering binder, 1 Mil-
waukee mower, Hayes corn planter
with fertilizer attachment, 1 Deere
disc, 2 3-section drags, 1 sulky plow,
1 gang plow, 1 new walking stubble
plow, 2 corn plows, 1 combination
and 1 walking plow, 1 hay loader, 1
hay rake, 1 fanning mill, 1 corn sheller,
1 end gate, forcefeed seeder, 1
bob sled, 1 stalk cutter, 3 sets of
work harness.

Sale commences at 10 o'clock. Free
lunch at 12.
Terms of Sale—All sums of \$10
and under cash; all sums over \$10 a
credit of one year's time will be given
purchaser giving a good bank-
able note with approved security,
drawing 7 per cent interest from
date, 5 per cent off for cash on sums
over \$10. Interest deducted if paid
when due. No property to be removed
until settled for.

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Correct time of all
passenger and freight
trains leaving Dixon
that carry passengers:

South Bound.

No. 123 Express 10:37 a. m. daily
No. 131 Clinton Ex. 5 p. m. D. ex. S.
Amboy Freight 9:38 a. m. D. ex. S.

North Bound.

Ft. Dodge Ex. 9:38 a. m. D. ex. Sun.
Local Mail 5:22 p. m. daily
Freeport Fr. 12:30 p. m. D. ex. Sun.

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Correct time of all passenger
trains leaving Dixon:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
6 3:25 a. m. daily 6:45 a. m.
16 4:43 a. m. daily 7:20 a. m.
10 5:44 a. m. daily 8:30 a. m.
24 6:25 a. m. daily 9:15 a. m.
20 11:22 a. m. ex. Sun. 2:35 p. m.
18 7:21 a. m. daily 10:15 a. m.
14 4:04 p. m. daily 7:25 p. m.
4 6:16 p. m. daily 8:50 p. m.
28 4:15 p. m. Sun. 7:25 p. m.
8 9:08 a. m. daily 11:55 a. m.

Passenger to Peoria.

10 daily ex. Sun. Lv. Dixon 7:45 a. m.
West Bound From Chicago.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
3 10:45 p. m. daily 1:52 a. m.
27 7:55 a. m. (Sun. only) 11:08 a. m.
13 7:00 a. m. ex. Sun. 10:14 a. m.
5 10:00 a. m. 12:33 p. m.
19 12:30 p. m. ex. Sun. 3:43 p. m.
17 4:35 p. m. daily 7:29 p. m.
21 6:05 p. m. daily 8:29 p. m.
25 7:10 p. m. daily 9:52 p. m.
11 1:30 p. m. daily 2:59 p. m.
7 10:01 p. m. daily 12:25 a. m.

No. 11 goes through at 8:31 p. m.
Will stop at Dixon for Colorado pas-
sengers only.

No. 1 goes through at 9:31 p. m.
Stops only for Ogden, Utah, or be-
yond passengers.

*Sterling passenger.

INTER-URBAN
DIXON, City

WEST BOUND (Based on)
10 10:50 Assembly Park 10:50 10
13 33 53 Galena & Fellows 27 47 7
17 37 57 Galena & First 23 43 3
20 40 60 Office 20 40 60
30 50 10 Depots 10 30 50

Figures denote min. past the hour.
From 6:20 a. m. until 11 p. m.
Sunday, first car at 7 a. m.

INTERURBAN SERVICE.

Cars leave both Dixon and Ster-
ling every hour.

First car leaves at 5:50 a. m. and
five (5) minutes past each hour
thereafter until 11 p. m.

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Falling Hair.

MANY PEOPLE HAVE A SIMPLE
WAY OF STOPPING IT

It was Dr. Sangerbond of Paris who
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ing hair were caused by a microbe.
And now that Parisian Sage, the
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the clean people of this country have
awakened to the fact that dandruff is
unnecessary; that falling hair and
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Sage will never grow bald.

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who wishes to eradicate disgusting
dandruff, stop falling hair and have
an immaculately clean scalp, free
from itching, we make this offer:
Parisian Sage is sold by druggists
everywhere, for 50 cents a large bot-
tle. It is an ideal, daintily perfumed
hair dressing, free from grease and
stickiness, and will cause hair to
grow lustrous and luxuriant. Sold
and guaranteed by Rowland Bros.

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YOUR best salesman
cannot work more
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An advertisement
of your goods in this paper
works while you sleep and
wake—24 hours a day.
It works in many house-
holds at the same time.
It talks better than the
most fluent speaker.
No one slams the door
in its face.
RESULT: It sells goods.
About the cost? Far less
than the cost of a salesman
and does lots more work.
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Passing encomiums, only over
your store counter, about the
quality of what you've got to
sell, results in about as much
satisfaction as your wife would
get if you gave her a box of
cigars for Christmas.

Advertising in This Paper
talks to everybody at once and makes
them talk back with money.

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Watch it
Grow
Advertising is the fast-
est of all business
sell. Its work is magic. Thin,
weakened trade becomes a thing of
power when its roots feel the healthy
sunlight of publicity.
YOUR AD. IN OUR NEXT ISSUE
WILL PROVE IT.
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CEMENT BLOCKS,

for new houses, foundations, cel-
lars, walls, porch work, cisterns
and barn foundations. If you
want a Royal Cement Burial
Vault or anything in the Cement
line, call and see

IRA COMPTON,

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MAN WANTED

—AGE, no matter
—Good appearance
—Strictly temperate
—In good standing
—Thoroughly familiar with Dixon
and the surrounding country
—Prefer man who is holding or
has held a position with a local
store
—Must be a hustler and on the job
every minute
—Pleasant and dignified position
—Permanent to right man
—SALARY medium to start, with
a chance for increase
—No out of town work

ANSWER must give all particu-
lars, and will be treated strictly
confidential
—ADDRESS—B. M. H. Gen. Del.
Dixon, Ill.

BILL COHAN.

I have purchased the SHOE REPAIR
SHOP on Peoria Ave., of Louis Kushner
and will be pleased to have all old cus-
tomers and new ones call. Prices reason-
able and first-class work guaranteed.
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BASHFUL STANLEY.

His Response to a Speech of Eulogy at
a Banquet.

William H. Riebeling tells in Mc-
Clure's Magazine of a dinner of the
Papyrus club in Boston at which Hen-
ry M. Stanley, the explorer, was the
guest of honor.
"Whether he (Stanley) sat or stood,
he fidgeted and answered in monosyl-
lables—not because he was unamiable
or unappreciative, but because this
man of iron, God's instrument, whose
word in the field

Wright's Condensed Smoke

A liquid smoke made by distilling hickory wood, for smoking all kinds of meat's, preserves the meat for any length of time and imparts a true hickory smoke flavor. 75c bottle will smoke 250 lbs. meat.

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The Shine of the Silver.

Many persons polish their silver only three or four times a year as a result (because of the sulphurous acid in the air) the silverware looks dim and dark most of the time, and the hard scouring needed to remove the accumulated tarnish wears the surface much more than the polishing frequently.

We use SILVER CREAM and we sell it. 25 cents a jar.

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Dixon Ill.

Would You Order

Three packages, Toasted Corn Flakes for... 25c
Four packages, Toasted Flakes for... 25c
Four packages, Dr. Prices Corn Flakes for... 25c
Four packages, Clearline Flakes for... 25c
Four packages, Steel-cut Oat-meal for... 25c
Eight pounds bulk Oat-meal for... 25c

DOWNING'S GROCERY.
Three Phones—No Waiting. 4 Deliveries Daily

For Pure Buckwheat Flour ASK FOR Pen-Yan

For good prepared Buckwheat Flour—
ASK FOR "YEAR-ROUND"

For good prepared Pan Cake Flour—
ASK FOR "EVER-READY"

We have Monarch Maple Syrup in 1 gallon, 1/2-gallon and quart cans

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Silver Drip, California and Karo Syrup in 10, 5 and 2 1/2-lb cans

Earl Grocery Co



DELICIOUS CAKES

Light as a feather, made from the very best ingredients, can always be selected from our large assortment. Everything in pies and pastry, fresh from the oven every day, you will have to travel far and search long to find better bread than what we serve; in fact, we doubt very much if you can.

We make a specialty of Public Sale Luncheon.

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Reduced Prices

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Beckwith's Round- Oak Heating Stoves

To reduce a small overstock we are selling Nos. 16, 18 and 20 at \$5.00 off the regular price

If you need a heating stove, now is the time to decide.

E. N. Howell HARDWARE CO.
DIXON, ILLINOIS

THE MARKETS

JANUARY 27 1910

Fresh eggs	.....	31
Packed eggs	.....	23 @ 28
Lard	.....	15
Sep. dairy butter	.....	26
Not sep. dairy butter	.....	23
Chickens	.....	15
Dressed ducks	.....	15
Turkeys	.....	22
Geese	.....	12
Honey	.....	18
Potatoes	.....	45
Corn	.....	56
Oats	.....	43 @ 44

RANGE OF CHICAGO MARKETS

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS
FURNISHED BY C. P. HER-
LICK, SNAW BLDG.

C. D. Anderson, Local Manager.
Range of prices on Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 27, 1910

Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May 110 3/4	111 1/2	110 3/4	111 1/4
July 101 1/4	101 3/4	100 3/4	101 1/2
Sept 97	97 1/2	96 3/4	97 1/2
Corn—			
May 66 3/4	67 1/4	66 3/4	67 1/4
July 66 3/4	67	66 1/2	66 3/4
Sept 66 1/2	66 3/4	66 1/2	66 3/4
Oats—			
May 47	47 1/4	46 3/4	47 1/4
July 43 3/4	43 3/4	43 1/4	43 3/4
Sept 40 3/4	41 1/4	40 3/4	40 3/4
Pork—			
May 2090	2090	2082	2087
July 2090	2090	2077	2085
Ribs—			
May 1132	1137 1/2	1132	1137
July 1132	1137	1132	1135
Lard—			
May 1170	1172	1167	1170
July 1165	1167	1160	1162

Receipts today:

Hogs—18000.

Cattle—65000.

Sheep—10000.

Stock yards report:

Hogs open steady to 5c higher.

Left over—8153.

Mixed—800 @ 835.

Light—790 @ 825.

Heavy—800 @ 835.

Rough—805 @ 815.

Cattle weak. Sheep steady.

Hogs are closing 25 higher than yesterday morning and 19 higher than yesterday's average.

Estimated tomorrow—18000.

PERSONAL MENTION

E. Rathburn left on a business trip to Chicago last night.

Mrs. James McGlaughlin of Elde-na was here today shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCleary were passengers to Chicago this morning.

Mrs. Ida Moulton of Franklin Grove visited with friends in this city today.

Theo. J. Miller & Sons have sold and delivered to Geo. Downing a Victor Victrola.

THE FLOWER SHOP.

All the novelties of the season in Flowers and Plants, Goldfish and Supplies. C. H. Fallstrom. Phone 107. 21tf

Farmers should call at this office and see samples and get prices on stationery. The return card printed on the envelopes. dw22tf

The Palmyra tax collector will be at the Dixon National bank every Saturday afternoon and at the milk factory pay days. A. R. Rutt. 22 2

Lawyers can procure at this office by the pound the very best and most suitable paper for typewriting at a reasonable price. Call and see samples. 22tf

Mardi Gras NEW ORLEANS FEBRUARY 7-8.

The Carnival of brilliant spectacular events in a semi-tropical city of romantic history and interesting customs. Ask your local ticket agent or address the undersigned for a free copy of a profusely illustrated folder describing the Mardi Gras Route—the

ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Railroad. Two through fast trains daily to New Orleans, with Buffet Club, Dining and Sleeping Cars, and with but one night on the road.

Special round trip Mardi Gras tickets to New Orleans at very low rates.

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Moving Pictures Changed Daily.
Admission 5 cents.
During remodeling of stage.

D. M. FAHRNEY,
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Speak early for special dates.
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Lee County Phone—Residence
152. Office, 90.

Dixon, Illinois.

The Dixon National bank will give receipts to parties owing J. W. Kelly for Cement Sidewalks, gravel or roofing. No interest will be charged on bills or notes if paid before Feb. 15, 1910. 21 6

Piano tuning and repairing by E. M. Goodsell, for several years a resident tuner. For prompt service leave orders at Miller's music store or telephone residence. Independent Phone No. 374. 21 3*

Money to Loan on farms at low interest rates with privilege to borrower of paying any amount at any time stopping interest thereon H. A. Roe Company, Opera Block, Dixon, Ill. Phones. 78tf

Fresh Cut Flowers.

Of all kinds, delivered to any part of the city for any occasion. Funeral work a specialty. Prices reasonable. Phone 147. N. H. Long. Greenhouses North Galena Ave. 3tf

Smoke Belle of Dixon, 5c. 10tf

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Hunt's Quality Canned Goods which are advertised in the Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post, Delicatore, Woman's Home Companion and The Munsey are for sale at the Dixon Grocery Co. 20 3

I Have It: Seven room house for rent on 1st and Water St. Good garden if desired. Rent reasonable. Call between 8:30 and 10 a. m. M. W. Rowe, Care Inter. Corr. Schools Office, Loveland Bldg. "He carries good fire insurance, too." 21 2

A NEW DIRECTORY.
We will publish a new directory in April.

Special Offer.
If you will order a telephone now, we will start charging you rental for it on March 1st, giving you free service for the month of February and your name will be in the new directory. Don't delay. Order one now. The sooner you order the more free service you will receive. Call No. 19. 19 15 HOME TELEPHONE CO.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

LOST

Lost. Large black pocketbook containing about \$6. Lost on Tuesday evening. Reward if returned to this office. 22 3

FOR SALE

For Sale. All of my household goods, at private sale, commencing Monday, Jan. 31. Dr. Claude Backus, East Third St. 22 6*

WANTED

Wanted. Man past 30 with horse and buggy to sell stock condition powder in Lee county. Salary \$70 per month. Address 301 Unity Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind. 22 1*

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—AND—

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BOTH HIGH GRADE

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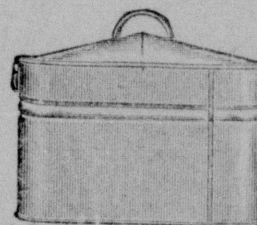
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FRIDAY

SATURDAY

CORSETS

R&G

One Lot

No.	Regular	Sale Price
380	\$3.00	\$2.00
385	\$2.00	\$1.35
315	\$1.50	\$1.00
440	\$1.50	\$1.00
673	\$1.00	\$1.75

50c,
75c,
\$1.00

ALL SIZES

19 cents



J. R. CARPENTER.

PLAYER-PIANO SAMPLES.

We are offering for sale some fine sample Pianos with the latest improved RODESCH 88-note Player in them. These instruments are fully guaranteed in every particular and are of the best known old established makes. Double tracker on each using both 88 and 65-note rolls. Transposing device and the best spring motor in existence. Those interested are invited to call and see what we have. New and used Pianos without Player. Decker Bros. \$350; A. Reed & Sons' \$235; A. Reed & Sons' \$175—and others at equally good bargains. Open evenings till Christmas at the Opera House Rooms, 114 Galena Avenue.

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